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100 SAILORS LOST LIVES IN HURRICANE

LITTLE FUEL FOR HOMES IN BRITAIN AS WHITE COALS

Premier Tells Commons Government Has No New Strike Settlement Proposal

M.P.'s Debate Renewal of Emergency Measures Enforced Because of Strike

London, Oct. 25.—The Government's proposal for settlement of the coal strike throughout Great Britain having been refused by the miners, it has no further proposals to make, Premier Baldwin stated in the House to-day.

The question of renewing the emergency regulations in view of the continuance of the strike was before the House for debate this afternoon. The gravity of the situation has been aggravated by the setting in of extremely cold weather in the past fortnight, and for the first time since the strike began, May 1 last, the general public is feeling the pinch of the scarcity and costliness of fuel.

The nine owners and the Government have been disappointed in their belief the strike was on the eve of collapse. The actual position is that while the great numbers of miners, notably in Leicestershire, Derbyshire and Nottinghamshire, have resumed work, the miners in the greater coal fields of South Wales, Yorkshire and Durham obstinately refuse any compromise.

MOVEMENT CHECKED

On the other hand, since the Miners' Federation executive converted itself into a council of war, it has succeeded through the efforts of A. J. Cook and Herbert Smith in largely stemming riot among the ranks of the strikers and inducing many thousands of men who had resumed to quit work again.

Perhaps it may not be a case of cause and effect, but on Saturday last the Government for the first time took action against the strike leaders by proclaiming unlawful strike meetings which Secretary Cook was announced to address at Cannock and Chase in Staffordshire.

Mr. Cook, on arriving, found a large force of police prepared to stop the meeting. He did not attempt to resist, although he was surrounded by a large force of police and getting a rousing reception from 4,000 disappointed idle miners who had gathered to listen to him.

BELGIUM TO HAVE NEW GOLD COINAGE

Belgas Will Pass in International Transactions at 35 to Pound Sterling

Brussels, Oct. 25.—The Belgian franc will be stabilized at 174.33 to the pound sterling. It was officially announced to-day. The franc will remain legal currency for domestic use, but a new gold unit called the Belga and equal approximately to five paper francs, thirty-five to the pound sterling, will be issued for foreign transactions.

Introduction of the new currency came as a complete surprise, as it had been denied up to the last minute such a decision was contemplated.

Adverse comment had been forthcoming from financial and commercial circles, the opinion being expressed that the creation of the Belga would add complications to international trade.

RATE APPROVED

On the other hand, the choice of a stabilization rate of approximately 175 francs to the pound sterling met with the highest approval. Stabilization of the currency will be effective from to-morrow, when the new 100,000,000 stabilization loan, negotiated in London, will be placed on the market.

The loan, it has been learned, will bear interest at seven per cent, plus one per cent for amortization. It will be for a term of thirty years.

SUPPORTED BY BANKS

Nine state banks have agreed to support the loan—the Bank of England, the Federal Reserve Bank of the United States; the Bank of France, the Reichsbank of Germany and similar banks in Japan, Holland, Sweden, Austria and Hungary. In addition the banks will place \$5,000,000 in credits at the disposal of the Bank of Belgium to assist in carrying out the immediate stabilization plans.

A commission to direct the bank's technical work in connection with stabilization will be composed of the governors, vice-governors and two directors, assisted by a regency council comprised of nine persons selected from the world's commercial, industrial and financial circles.

UNWRITTEN IN LONDON
London, Oct. 25.—Announcement of Belgium's stabilization plans was immediately followed by underwriting arrangements for £5,250,000 to the loan to be offered here in seven per cent, bonds at 94, redeemable in thirty years at 105.

HOHENZOLLERN SAID NOW TO CONTEMPLATE RETURN TO GERMANY



London, Oct. 25.—Wilhelm Hohenzollern, former Kaiser of Germany, the Doorn correspondent of News of the World says, is resolved to return to Germany next July, after the German law excluding him expires. Ex-Princess Hermine, his wife, is at Oels and preliminary arrangements are being made for them to reside at Homburg.

NEW YORK'S WATER SUPPLY THREATENED

Subterranean Fissures Slowly Draining Ashokan Reservoir in Catskills

No Lack of Rain and Streams Are High, But Big Basin is Virtually Empty

New York, Oct. 25.—New York City's water supply is seriously threatened by subterranean cracks which are slowly draining the \$160,000,000 Ashokan reservoir in the Catskill Mountains. The New York Herald-Tribune says to-day.

The reservoir is sixteen miles long and three miles wide, and is fed by a watershed of 227 square miles. A recent survey, the newspaper says, supports the theory that millions of gallons from the huge basin are seeping away through the veins and thence to the surface again in adjacent water courses.

The reservoir, described as rivaling the Panama Canal as an engineering feat, is virtually empty. There has been no lack of rain, however, and feed streams are flush from bank to bank.

Esop's Creek, the main source of supply, has been found to diminish its flow shortly after entering the great basin, only to rise a few miles below the dam, to full power. It is said to be delivering only scant 200,000,000 gallons daily, compared with 450,000,000 gallons required for New York's needs.

CONSERVATIVES NEAR CONVENTION CALL

Method of Selection of Delegates For B.C. Party Meeting is Set Out

Vancouver, Oct. 25.—The call for the British Columbia Conservative Convention to be held at Kamloops November 23, 24 and 25 was mailed to-day by Secretary J. E. Carpenter to the different associations throughout British Columbia. The initial session will open at 10 a.m. Tuesday, November 23.

In setting out the basis of representation the notice says:

"It is provided that each constituency as the same exists for the election of the Provincial Legislature shall be entitled to ten delegates for each member the said constituency is entitled to elect to the Legislature. These delegates are in addition to the Senators, the elected and defeated candidates in the last election, Provincial and Dominion, and the executive who are entitled to attend."

This means that there will be approximately 500 persons entitled to vote, either directly or by proxy, at the convention. Vancouver and Victoria, between them, will have approximately 120 votes.

ELECTION OF DELEGATES
"Election of the delegates," the convention call sets out, "is required under the constitution to be by the organized Liberal-Conservative clubs, associations or societies in each constituency and the adjustment of representation between different parts of organizations in each constituency shall be made by mutual agreement of the Liberal-Conservatives of the said constituency."

The principle of pooling will be again adopted in respect to transportation costs, it is announced.

RAINS CAUSE LOSS IN NORTHERN ITALY

Rome, Oct. 15.—Great damage has been done in Trieste, Turin and other parts of Italy by heavy rains.

HUNTER LOST IN FOREST AT JACK LAKE YESTERDAY

Searchers Fail to Locate Benjamin Soper After All Night Quest

Missing since yesterday, when he went hunting with a friend up in the country between Loon Lake and Jack Lake in the Sooke Watershed territory, Benjamin Soper, thirty-seven, an employee of the B.C. Electric Railway Company of this city, was to-day sought by a search party of friends and officers of the Provincial Police Department. Up to an early hour this afternoon no word had been received from the searchers.

The district in which the missing man is believed to be straying, somewhere about the shores of Jack Lake, is a wild and rugged part of the country, but readily accessible. It was there that Soper was hunting yesterday with a friend, A. MacKenzie, also a B.C. Electric employee.

Soper, according to the company's officers, is a motorman of some years' experience and a trusted and reliable man. He is known to be familiar with the woods in various parts of the country adjacent to Victoria. MacKenzie, his companion, also was an experienced woodsman. Last night MacKenzie made efforts to find his friend, but they were without avail. The Provincial Police were informed this morning at dawn that Soper had not been found.

ORGANIZED SEARCH

Immediately preparations were made for another search. Meanwhile W. Kibby, a B.C. Electric employee, whose knowledge of the woods in the Goldstream Lake country is excellent, was dispatched to aid in the search. He joined MacKenzie and Constable Richard Meadows, already on the scene. Constable Meadows reported to headquarters to-day that two shots in the vicinity of Jack Lake had been heard this morning. The missing man in that direction immediately, believing them to have come from Soper.

"We will not have any further word from the man of our force until late to-day when the searchers come in," B.C. Police headquarters stated this morning, "unless Soper is found in the meantime."

OLD WOODSMAN OUT

Headquarters have dispatched Constable Richard Gidley, an old woodsman, veteran hunter and a man whose knowledge of forest craft is considerable, into the Jack Lake district. Constable Meadows he will work through the district where Soper is believed to have lost himself. These two men will be a strong force in themselves. Searchers were in the woods all last night, but found no trace of Soper.

It has been suggested here this morning that the man may have met with some injury but the fact that searchers heard shots this morning indicates that he is alive and well, according to the authorities. The missing man is unmarried and has but one relative, a sister, whose whereabouts is unknown.

PRISON DELIVERY ATTEMPT FAILED

Two Convicts in Missouri Jail Believed Dying After Prisoners Beaten

Jefferson City, Mo., Oct. 25.—Seven convicts, two of whom are believed to be dying, are in the prison hospital here to-day suffering from gunshot wounds, and three guards and a negro trustee are recovering from minor injuries received when the prisoners attempted to escape from the Missouri State Prison yesterday.

Armed with knives, the prisoners attacked and overpowered cell house guards and after securing a pistol from them leaped through a window to a corridor leading to the hospital. There they attacked J. L. Freeman, another guard, who was stabbed in the shoulder before the convicts obtained his pistol. A negro trustee who tried to aid Freeman was stabbed after he had knocked one of the men down with a chair.

The prisoners then opened fire on other guards and trustees who appeared in the corridor and ran to the south stockade, where two of them were shot down by guards. The rest were sprinkled with shot as they retreated to the prison shirt factory. The five convicts were taken from the factory building after a two-hour siege in which tear gas was used without effect.

DENIES REPORT HE IS ABOUT TO RETIRE

Archbishop of Canterbury



London, Oct. 25.—A report published in The London Sunday Express that the Most Rev. Randall Thomas Davidson, Archbishop of Canterbury, was about to resign because of ill-health has been officially denied by the Archbishop's chaplain.

"There is no foundation for the report the Archbishop is contemplating retirement," the chaplain stated.

FOREIGN POLICY IS CONFERENCE THEME

Representatives of Canada, Other Dominions and Britain Discuss Defences

London, Oct. 25.—(Cable from George Hambleton, staff correspondent of the Canadian Press)—Allied with a discussion of foreign policy, which opened the Imperial Conference season to-day, was a discussion of the subject of defence. The delegates from the various Dominions already have seen something of Great Britain's air forces at work. This week will close with a demonstration at sea of a battlecruiser squadron at battle practice with 15-inch guns.

As a sequel to the air demonstration of last Saturday, the Imperial Conference will consider further schemes for co-operation between the Royal Air Force and the air forces of the Dominions.

730 PLANES ON HAND

The combined strength of the various squadrons of the British air force now amounts to approximately 730 aeroplanes, distributed for home defence as follows: Fleet air arm work, army co-operation, air control, coast reconnaissance.

THREE POLICY LINES

The primary policy of the British Air Ministry is the maintenance of the British air power on a mobile basis.

Development of the air routes and bases throughout the Empire. Technical improvement which will increase the endurance and reliability of the aircraft.

Development of large airships to carry aeroplanes and their personnel. The Air Ministry contends the mobility of the air arm is of direct benefit to the Dominions in their problems with regard to quick communication and local defence.

In addition, as far as the Dominions can assist this policy by the provision of air bases, airship masts and development of the air routes, they will be contributing to their own defence and security also.

CHAIN SERVICE

There is already in existence what is described as Empire chain service aerodromes in Egypt, Palestine, Iraq, India and Australia. The air force in Great Britain also maintains a close liaison with the air forces (Continued on page 3)

SEVEN DAYS LEFT TO SECURE VOTE

Seven days remain in which those entitled to a vote at the December civic elections may secure registration. Since special facilities were opened at the City Hall to take applications for inclusion on the voters' list only 558 have availed themselves of the opportunity. There were nineteen registrations on Saturday and one this morning before the luncheon hour.

At present some 4,900 names of those entitled to a vote are still off the list. It is estimated 1,500 retail clerks and other employees who have already paid their poll and road tax and are entitled to a vote, have taken no pains to secure the franchise. Besides a large list of householders and trade licensees, who are registered automatically, the city rolls have a fluctuating vote of over 5,000 names. Last year the list stood at slightly over 10,700, while close on 15,000 residents here are eligible to vote.

NEW AUDITORS WILL CHECK TAX RETURNS

Highly-qualified Officials Are Named to Increase Efficiency of B.C. Machinery

Will go Over Returns of All Firms in Province; Local Man Promoted

To build up further the efficiency of its tax collecting machinery, the Provincial Taxation Department to-day appointed three new auditors who will check over the income tax returns of business firms all over British Columbia.

A. L. McEellan was appointed with headquarters in Victoria, his appointment being a promotion in the staff of the Department.

E. H. J. Davidson and John Templeton were given similar positions with headquarters in Vancouver but directly under the Department here.

STAFF NOT INCREASED

The appointments, it was explained, do not increase the staff of the Taxation Department as the auditors' positions had been left vacant by transfers and resignations during the last year. Pending a reorganization of the staff, they were not filled until to-day.

HIGHLY QUALIFIED

The new auditors are all men of the highest qualifications. During the last year the Department has been strengthening its machinery at every possible point so as to collect all the income tax revenue due to the Government. This is in line with a policy announced last year and has in view the ultimate reduction of the income levied on individuals by a larger collection from the population as a whole.

The income returns of every business organization in the Province of any substantial size will be checked up annually by the new auditors to make sure that they are accurate and in accordance with the statute governing deductions and exemptions.

DEATH IN STREET RIOT IN SHANGHAI

Pro-Cantonese Radicals Wounded Sixteen When Discharging Firearms

Shanghai, Oct. 25.—One person was shot to death, two seriously injured and fourteen were wounded when hundreds of pro-Cantonese radicals surrounded the West Gate police station here yesterday and, launching an attack, exploded two bombs and discharged firearms.

Police defending the station fired a volley overhead and made a head-on charge which dispersed the mob. The death of one and injuries to others probably resulted from shots which went wild.

The French municipal police, whose territory adjoins the West Gate, stood by, guarding French settlement boundaries.

Chinese authorities are now enforcing strict martial law, stopping and searching pedestrians. All last night traffic was prohibited.

A search was made of many houses belonging to Chinese districts in an attempt to find out the cause of the riot. Police Magistrate Malli should be in the institution in Saanich if found insane.

Mall pleaded guilty to the charge before Magistrate H. C. Shaw in the police court to-day.

DEATH IN SEATTLE AUTOMOBILE SMASH

Car Struck Telephone Pole and Man Lost Life; Eight Motorists Hurt

Seattle, Oct. 25.—One man was killed and eight persons were injured when a touring car crashed here over the week-end.

Hugo Hennon, twenty-five, met death after a beer party. Police are seeking Earl Helm, a garage owner, mobile, passed another car and smashed into a telephone pole. One of the Hennon twins, two years old, was buried into a sand pile. Helm's brother-in-law took Mrs. Hennon and her children to a hospital and left Helm to watch Hennon. Hennon's body was found in the back of the deserted car.

Victims of the other accidents sustained minor injuries.

BRITISH NAVY SLOOP AND FREIGHTER PART OF TOLL OF BIG BERMUDA STORM

NARROWLY ESCAPED DEATH IN PERSIA; SHAH REZA KHAN



Teheran, Persia, Oct. 25.—The Shah of Persia to-day escaped unhurt when an automobile escorting him on a tour of the province of Mazandaren was blown up near Damavend. Several officers were killed and two injured.

The auto blown up was carrying arms, ammunition and bombs, but the cause of the explosion has not been explained.

The injured and the bodies were brought here, and the Shah continued his tour.

Shah Reza Khan Pehlevi was the object of a plot late last month, when several high officers were arrested.

MAN ADMITS HE STOLE WATCHES

Suggested Vancouver Magistrate Send George Malli to Wilkinson Road

Vancouver, Oct. 25.—Powers of the court to place an accused person, allegedly mentally deficient, yet guilty of a serious offence, in the hospital for the criminally insane at Wilkinson Road, Saanich, instead of having the usual process of commitment to Escondido go through, are being considered in the city police court here in the case of George Malli, charged with theft.

Malli escaped from the institution three weeks ago, and on Saturday last snatched three watches from the possession of a clerk in a Granville Street jewelry store and ran.

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BEAM WIRELESS TESTS SUCCEED

Montreal, Oct. 25.—Messages were exchanged last night on the new beam system of wireless communication between Viscount Willingdon, Governor-General of Canada, and Lieut.-Colonel the Hon. L. C. M. Amery, Secretary of State for the Dominions, who was in London, England.

Congratulatory messages were also exchanged between Mayor Martin of Montreal and the Lord Mayor of London.

UNARMED MAN KILLED WILDCAT

Windsor, N.S., Oct. 25.—When he sought traces of the animal that had been raiding his flock of lambs, Mr. Bennett, a farmer and barrister of Brooklin, near here, became so enraged at the sight of a wildcat making a meal of a freshly killed lamb that he climbed up a tree after the beast and killed it with his bare hands.

Approximately Eighty Men Drowned When Valerian, Naval Craft, Went Down While Bound From Bahamas to Bermuda; Only Twelve of Crew of British Merchant Steamship Eastway Rescued

Hamilton, Bermuda, Oct. 25.—Loss of the British naval sloop Valerian and the British freighter Eastway with a total of about 100 lives, damage to many buildings and an unprecedented loss of harbor and local shipping, was the toll of the West Indian hurricane that drove up from the south and swept over Bermuda Friday morning.

From the nineteen men who so far as reported are the sole survivors of the Valerian, little has been learned of the cause of the disaster. Commander W. A. Usher and one officer were saved. Usher was reported to-day very ill and none of the others were in condition to give details.

One seaman said the Valerian turned turtle and only the life rafts could be used as a means to safety.

As the survivors were picked up by the British light cruiser Capetown, which did not leave port until Saturday morning, it is presumed the survivors were afloat on the life rafts at least twenty-four hours.

PREMIER AND CABINET GREET HON. J. H. KING

Premier Oliver will head a substantial delegation of Cabinet Ministers at the reception to be given in Vancouver to-morrow to Hon. J. H. King, Federal Minister of Health and Soldiers' Civil Re-establishment. Most of the Provincial Ministers will accompany the Premier to the mainland to-night to meet Dr. King to-morrow. The Premier will discuss a number of official matters with the Federal Minister.

WINDS LASH EAST PART OF CONTINENT

New York City Has Storm; New Jersey and Quebec Also Visited

Newark, N.J., Oct. 25.—For the third time in as many months, northern, central and southeastern New Jersey to-day were swept by winds which at Paterson, Hamilton Square and Camden reached the proportions of a summer storm. Several persons were injured in the Camden district, half a dozen roofs were torn off, several buildings were wrecked and thousands of dollars of damage were caused.

Considerable property damage resulted at Hamilton Square, where the side of a frame house was blown out, most of the roof of the Baptist church was torn off and windows in many houses were broken.

STORM AT QUEBEC

Quebec, Oct. 25.—What appeared to be a "tail-end" of the fierce storms and hurricanes which have for the last few days swept over the North Atlantic and caused wreckage and devastation all along the seaboard and in many of the islands struck this city shortly after three o'clock this afternoon. No extensive property damage was reported.

New York, Oct. 25.—A five-minute "twister" with a velocity of seventy-five miles an hour blew through the heart of this city to-day, leaving a trail of shattered windows.

The storm also swept over Long Island and resulted in the death of Mrs. Annie Pettit, twenty-four, who was struck by limbs of a tree.

CABLES BROKEN

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U.S. TARIFF CUT NOT PLANNED BY LEADERS

Secretary Mellon Says International Bankers' Manifesto Is Only For Europe

Washington, Oct. 25.—Secretary of the Treasury Mellon has given formal notice on behalf of the administration that the economic manifesto signed by European and United States bankers, proposing a leveling of tariffs in the interests of trade, should not be applied to this nation.

The proposal appears to be directed to European conditions, Mr. Mellon said, in a statement which was conceived at a White House conference.

In its application to Europe, the manifesto received his approval. A cut in the United States tariff would reduce rather than increase United States purchases abroad, the Secretary argued in a lengthy defence of the present tariff.

EIGHTY DEATHS

London, Oct. 25.—The death toll of the British naval sloop Valerian, which was sunk in the recent hurricane south of Bermuda, was about eighty men. This is the estimate of the British Admiralty, which in a brief statement relative to the disaster gives the names of nineteen survivors, among them her commander, William Usher. The Admiralty places the total crew aboard the sloop at about 100.

The king has sent through the Admiralty a message of condolence and sympathy to the bereaved relatives.

MESSAGES TO HALIFAX

Halifax, N.S., Oct. 25.—News of the loss of the British naval sloop Valerian, with some eighty of her crew, was confirmed in dispatches received from Bermuda at the local office of the Halifax and Bermuda Cable Company which described the fury of the storm that swept the islands Friday, leaving a trail of death and destruction on land and sea.

According to the meagre advice received, the Valerian was on a second voyage to the Bahamas carrying relief to the inhabitants of those islands who had been stricken in an earlier storm, when she foundered. The British light cruiser Capetown picked up nineteen survivors and it is believed the remainder of the sloop's crew of 103 had been lost.

ENGINES SMOTHERED

There were no details of the tragedy, but it is believed at the local naval station that the Valerian's engines were smothered in the high seas.

The full fury of the hurricane struck Bermuda Friday morning. A large percentage of the buildings were damaged, telephone and electric light services were put out of commission and the havoc on the harbor and adjacent waters was said to be unprecedented in the history of the island.

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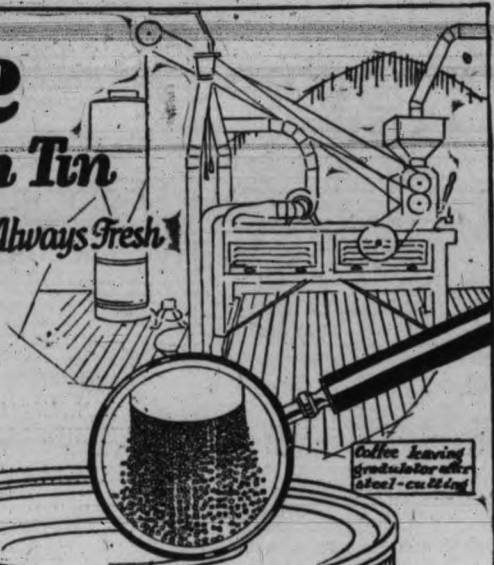
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Secretary Mellon Says International Bankers'

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Just turn the key to open—

EARTH SHOCKS IN CALIFORNIA AREA

San Francisco, Oct. 25.—A mild earthquake which lasted about ten seconds, shook San Francisco yesterday at 2:52 p.m. No damage was done.

The shock was felt by residents of Palo Alto, thirty miles to the south. It was described there as "very mild."

San Jose, Cal., Oct. 25.—Vibrations of an earthquake perceptible several

seconds here at 2:53 yesterday afternoon were registered for a period of from four to five minutes on the seismograph of Lick Observatory on Mount Hamilton, near here, according to Dr. Robt. Aitken, associate director of the observatory. Dr. Aitken described the earthquake as of minor intensity and on the same line as the big earthquake of 1906. Dr. Aitken estimated the centre of the disturbance as from 15 to 100 miles from the observatory.

A cargo of bees, some 18,000,000 in number, believed to be the first consignment of its kind, in transit from Porto Rico to Dayton, Ohio, was handled recently without a single person getting stung.

FOREIGN POLICY IS CONFERENCE THEME

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of Canada, Australia and South Africa.

Great Britain, on the civil side of flying, is laying plans with the eventual aim of establishing a trans-empire airway, including the 12,000 miles from London to Melbourne. The link between Cairo, Egypt, and Karachi, India, will be opened in January. Another airway link planned is that between Cairo and Nyanya, via Khartum, thus bringing the Uganda Protectorate in East Africa

in close touch with other parts of the Empire.

On Wednesday at 8 p.m. Rev. G. R. Cameron, formerly on the staff of the Congo Mission, Central Africa, will give an account of his experiences in the hall of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church. As Mr. Cameron was actively engaged in this work for forty years, and his recollections date from the time of the explorer Stanley, whom he met in Africa, his address should prove both interesting and instructive. The meeting is free to the public, and there will be no collection. James Petrie will be the soloist for the evening.

REEVE OF OAK BAY PRAISES COUNCIL SUPPORT IN 1926

Herbert Ansonb Outlines Progress Made by District in Current Year

Will Stand For Re-election in Forthcoming Elections

On his return from the North to-day Reeve Herbert Ansonb confirmed reports that he would submit his name to the electorate in Oak Bay for a final term in 1927.

"Oak Bay has experienced a year of steady growth with marked improvement noted along many lines of municipal endeavor," stated the Reeve this morning. "While no policies of a controversial nature were embarked on during the year, there are a number of points that will require watching if Oak Bay is to continue the fine record maintained during the year."

"Whether I am returned or not I wish to take this opportunity of saying that credit for the successful experience in Oak Bay municipal affairs is largely due to the wise policies laid down by former administrations and which we, of the present council have endeavored to maintain CO-OPERATION AND HARMONY."

Let me say now that the work of the Oak Bay Council this year has been featured by the same close co-operation and harmony that has characterized this body for a number of years, and has led to a position of assured growth on a sound financial footing.

"I cannot overestimate the untiring services of Councillors E. C. Hayward and A. D. Crease, senior members of the council, whose experience has again been of untold benefit to the municipality. To the remaining members of the council, Councillors J. A. H. McLean, C. F. L. Money, and T. J. Goodlake, who were ever ready to carry out any duties that fell to their lot, I am as deeply indebted. Their co-operation has made the chairmanship a real pleasure."

"Though a reduction in taxation amounting to over ten per cent. was made this year we have already collected almost the entire amount of the levy, and from the average figures obtained in other years, will far surpass our expectations before the close of the year."

FIRM ON WATER ISSUE

"While it may appear to the people of the district that settlement of the long outstanding dispute as to the cost of city water is being delayed, it should be noted that Oak Bay has taken every possible step to expedite the matter, but rather than jeopardize the points at issue it is better to go slow and secure the proper result in the final analysis. It is hardly necessary for me to say that Oak Bay does not intend to recede from its claim. Oak Bay has a strong claim, and proposes to advance it with the least possible delay."

"Oak Bay, as you know, has experienced a firm movement in realty values this year, with the equivalent of a 100 per cent. increase in building permits for all purposes. Last year thirty buildings of a value of \$156,000 were erected, while for the same period in 1925 fifty-five buildings, valued at \$256,000 have been put up, while a considerable number in addition are in course of erection. This takes no account of permits issued below the \$2,000 mark, and there were a number in that class, too."

COLLECTIONS INCREASE

"In the latest report of the municipal treasurer the position of Oak Bay is well set out. We have kept within expenditures, and at the same time collected a higher percentage of estimated receipts than we had anticipated at the first of the year. The reduction in taxation spread payment on current levy; while payments on account of tax arrears have run over thirty per cent. heavier than expected."

"These results, as you will see, are the work of the ratepayers themselves, though there is no denying the fact that the close co-operation of the 1926 and of former councils has done much to conserve the value of the municipal dollar in Oak Bay. If we are not yet out of the woods we have at least every assurance that the course we are taking in Oak Bay leads steadily in the right direction."

ARMENIAN QUAKE KILLED OVER 400

100,000 Natives of Country South of Caucasus Were Rendered Homeless

Leninakan, Armenia, Oct. 25.—Successive earthquakes which lasted from Friday night until early Sunday morning destroyed the greater part of this city of 10,000 inhabitants and twelve thriving towns in the neighborhood, killing upwards of 400 persons, mortally injuring hundreds of others and rendering 100,000 homeless. The whole of Armenia has been terrified and the destruction amounts to millions of dollars.

SEPULCHRE OF ASHES

Leninakan, christened after the late Nikolai Lenin, the idol of Soviet Russia, is like a vast sepulchre of ashes. From time immemorial Leninakan, formerly Alexandropol, has been a gigantic veritable city of the dead, due to the activity of Mount Ararat and Mount Alagöz in the Tertiary Period, but the city never before experienced such a violent and disastrous upheaval as that which leveled nearly all human habitations on the great Leninakan plain last Friday night.

The second shock, which was fivefold stronger than the first, tore open giant fissures in the great volcanic mountain of Alagöz, which is 14,400 feet high and gleams with perpetual smoke.

The precise number of deaths in all the affected areas, which cover 1,000 square miles, will not be known for several days, as telegraphic com-

munication has been destroyed.

Frantic efforts were made by soldiers of the Red army, firemen and relief workers to extricate those buried alive.

Entire cemeteries were disrupted by successive earth shocks and bodies scattered everywhere in grim disorder.

SHOCKS DURING DARKNESS

The terror of the populace was increased by the fact that the earthquake occurred in total darkness, the first shock having dislocated all the electric and gas mains, and further subterranean convulsions recurring through the night caused the untutored peasantry to fear the end of the world had come.

The buildings occupied by the American Near East Relief were among the few that escaped destruction. Although there were more than fifty physicians, nurses, clerks and relief workers in the structures at the time, all miraculously escaped harm. Not a single one of the 9,000 Armenian orphans in the buildings perished.

At the first sign of the earthquake, with the crashing of windows, loud cries of the orphans and violent oscillations of the buildings, the nurses, led by Miss Janet MacKay of Buffalo, Miss Dorothy Stratton of New York and Miss Belle Bass of Rome, Ga., mobilized the terror-stricken youngsters, who were awakened from their sleep by the great roar of thunder and directing the older children to sing Armenian folk songs, marched them to places of safety.

BUILDINGS WRECKED

Karakala, famed in Biblical lore for having given shelter to Lot and his three friends, is like a shell-torn city in devastated France. The new buildings in that place were completely shattered, but it is believed that relief workers escaped.

The earthquake was felt even as far south as Erivan. At Etchmedzian, lying at the foot of Mount Ararat, the pious peasants ran to the lower slopes of the mountain, which they regard as a sacred symbol of heaven, and prayed for Divine deliverance.

The famous Valley of Araxes, the traditional area of the Garden of Eden, was swept clean of houses, trees, cattle and all human abodes. Fortunately most of the dwellers there are of nomadic character and most of them escaped by fleeing to the hills.

The great Shirak Canal suffered heavily in the earthquake, as did the recently built textile mills. It is estimated it will require five years to repair the havoc caused throughout the country.

AID QUICKLY GIVEN

The Armenian, Georgian and Azerbaijan Government were quick to consent to the rescue of the afflicted people. They contributed \$500,000 and dispatched Red Cross trains with physicians and nurses, battalions of soldiers and firemen. Tents, coats, blankets, food and medicine are urgently needed, and Armenia, whose desperate efforts to retrieve itself from the ravages of war, invasion, famine and successive massacres, have been almost nullified by the present catastrophe, needs help.

The Near East Relief has already thrown open its hospitals and placed its entire personnel and plant at the disposal of the authorities. Temporary shelter has been provided for thousands in freight cars rushed from Erivan, Tiflis and Batum.

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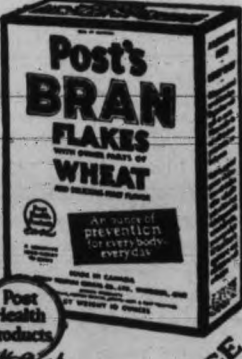
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Ostend, Belgium, Oct. 25.—Buried treasure of 9,000,000 francs in gold and silver currency lies hidden on the shore of the North Sea near Ostend, Petrus Jardin, a former German soldier, has informed the Ostend

authorities in a letter dated at Kiel. Jardin says the money was stolen from the National Bank of Belgium in 1914 by German sailors, who were forced to bury it in order to escape punishment by their own officers for looting. They intended to return and get it, but were all drowned or killed in the war except Jardin, who now offers, provided he is given five per cent. of the amount recovered, to lead the authorities to the treasure trove.

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DIAMOND JUBILEE YEAR

IT IS NOT TOO EARLY FOR THE proper authorities in every community in Canada to make their plans for a fitting celebration of the Diamond Jubilee of Confederation next year. Several important bodies in Canada already have discussed the subject in a tentative way and not a few suggestions have been made as to the form the celebration should take. It is essential, however, that the occasion should be marked in the most impressive manner. For this reason ample thought should be given to the matter.

Canada has made marvelous progress since Confederation time. It is true that the country has had its ups and downs. What country has not? Many years have been lean ones; but many more have been fat ones and the prospects on the eve of the Dominion's sixtieth birthday are bright indeed. From the Atlantic to the Pacific there is an atmosphere of sane optimism that can not be denied. Three bountiful harvests in succession have made the heart of the farmer glad. His prosperity has put the manufacturer in a better mood than he has been for years past. Canada knows no poverty as the term is understood in the countries of the Old World. She has lived in peace alongside her neighbor for more than one hundred years. She needs many more people and there are times when she is inclined to grumble because they do not come to these shores fast enough. But she has the satisfaction of knowing that the time is not far distant when overpopulated lands will furnish her with this all-important requirement. What is most essential of all—and the pessimist should mark it well—is that Canada can point to her vast supply of untouched possessions in the shape of natural wealth.

Next year should be a year of great advertisement—a period of education for our own people as well as for the people of other countries. Never let it be supposed that there is no necessity to advertise Canada to her own people, and the need is doubly pressing in regard to those elements of our population who come from other countries and are not familiar with our history and achievements. These must be transplanted in the soil of true Canadian sentiment. Much should be done next year therefore to promote that Canadian consciousness and spirit upon which the national structure must depend.

Special efforts should be made in 1927 to impress upon our school children the significance of the celebration. Sow the seed in the classroom, let the home be a stronghold of Canadianism, get every father and mother to polish up their Canadian history in order that they and their children will have a topic in common. If this course be followed, there will be more pointing with pride to our own country and fewer glances of envy at others. If this be done there will be no occasion to worry about the future of Canada.

QUEER IDEAS

AT LEAST ONE AUSTRALIAN EDITOR propounds a novel theory about Mr. Mackenzie King's statement that annexation talk in Canada is not taken seriously. The Sydney Sun quotes the Prime Minister as saying that "Canada still proposes to remain within the Empire" and gives this reason for the statement:

What induced Mr. King to burst out with denials like this is that he feels guilty on behalf of his party for a certain lukewarmness toward Britain.

This ought to make even Mr. Meighen laugh. He led the party which boasted a monopoly of loyalty to the British connection and stood upon a platform from which he advocated the abolition of policies directed towards greater Empire unity and a larger measure on inter-Empire trade. Mr. King's remarks upon which The Sun comments were plain replies to rather silly questions from representatives of Old Country newspapers.

Our Antipodean friends, like our friends in Great Britain, seem to get extraordinary ideas about Canada and Canadian affairs. Some time in the future perhaps this Dominion will get through an election without the stupid Conservative cry of annexation and loyalty flubdub.

JUST AT THE RIGHT TIME

THERE SEEMS TO BE A FAIRLY GENERAL opinion that the new Cariboo highway is going to be a big money-maker for British Columbia during the next few years. Those who have made the trip already, although the road as yet is far from what it will be in twelve months or two years, are enthusiastic about its grandeur and predict a wider popularity for it than was anticipated by the most optimistic.

The satisfactory point about the new trans-provincial thoroughfare is that it will be ready for full use just at a time when people from other parts of the country and from South of the line are actually look-

ing for something in the way of a new diversion in this Province. There will always be a steady flow of tourist travel to British Columbia because its manifold advantages for recreation are unique in themselves. But the fact must be faced that the touring public is exacting and always on the lookout for fresh scenes. Our new highway, however, should hold many of them for some time to come.

A REMARKABLE RECORD

NO DOUBT THE DOMINION PREMIERS thoroughly enjoyed the diversion which the Royal Air Force provided for them at Croydon on Saturday. They were permitted to see the strides which Great Britain has made in the science of aviation since the last Imperial Conference. It is wise to say since then because developments in aerial navigation take place so rapidly.

There will always be those who would not object to a trip in the air if they could keep one foot on the ground; but the element of danger in aerial travel nowadays is not a bit more pronounced than in railway or steamship travel. There will be the occasional crash just as there will be the occasional disaster on the iron way and the wreck on the sea; the remarkable thing about modern airship travel, however, is that accidents are so few and far between.

This is borne out by statistics recently compiled by the authorities in control of the London-Paris air service. Since 1920, five machines—of which only two were British—have crashed on this route. Thirty-three persons were killed and twelve were injured during this period.

Considering the fact that travel by this means is continually on the increase, considering also how comparatively new the whole science of commercial aviation really is, the record noted is a long way from discouraging.

WHAT OTHER PAPERS SAY

LOPSIDED FUSS

From The Hamilton Herald

There is more excitement in the United States over the killing of a single American citizen by Mexican bandits than there is over the killing of hundreds of American citizens by American bandits. But it doesn't matter much to killed persons who killed them.

Swift, Keen Knight of the Chase

By ARTHUR N. PACK

This magnificent bird, found in some favor throughout the northern hemisphere, was one of the favorites in the sport of falconry, which has been much practiced in eastern countries from before the beginning of the Christian era to the present time. Goshawks were flown at game as large as hares, and it is noteworthy that, with our wild American goshawks, these animals form the favorite prey.

In our continent the goshawk nests mainly north of the United States. In the vast forest that stretches from eastern Canada to Alaska. Within our boundaries, however, it occupies the mountains both east and west. It is a bird of the woods; there, in some lofty tree, it raises its broods. In the far North, for it extends its range to the tree limit, it preys much on the ptarmigan, especially near the upper limit of its range, and also farther south when both these birds and the goshawks are moving south.

To capture a ptarmigan in fair chase, however, is no trifling task, and often the quarry will mount into the air so rapidly that the pursuing goshawk cannot overtake it, and is forced to give up the chase. Over most of the country it is in the winter that we come mainly into contact with the goshawk. When the northern hares are abundant we see few of the birds, but in the years of scarcity, the goshawks are likely to come down in numbers.

Then our grouse and domestic fowl suffer from the raids of the "blue darter." Such incursions bring down on his head the wrath of sportsman and farmer alike, and war is waged. Still, so swift and keen is the goshawk that comparatively few of them are killed, while our beneficial or comparatively harmless species bear the brunt of the fusillade. Then the surviving goshawks repair again to the northern wilderness, where they are seldom molested.

Russian Inventor's Misfortune

How heavy was the blow which the failure of the Transatlantic flight dealt to the promising career of Sikorsky, the inventor of the ill-fated plane, plotted by Captain Fonck, which came to grief at the start with the loss of two lives, was revealed by another aeroplane engineer. Mackenzie Kennedy is his name, and it was a name to conjure with in Russian aviation during the war.

"Sikorsky has lost his life's savings in this tragic adventure," he said. "Something like \$20,000. He left Russia in 1918; and the Bolsheviks took all his plans and papers, and used his aeroplane successfully against the Poles in their campaign of 1921."

"I discovered the engineering genius of Sikorsky when he was a student at Kiev University in 1911, and I was able to get him a post as aviation manager to the famous Russo-Baltic works at Riga. He then secured the aeroplane contract for the Czarist Army. That meant fame and fortune, although Sikorsky's aeroplane, the giant Ilya Mouromets, would not rise from the ground till I and Professor Gliboff, Sikorsky's friends and associates, with whom he had quarreled, took the thing in hand. When the first revolution broke out Bolsheviks took possession of all the papers that Sikorsky had left behind. Sikorsky arrived in Paris so poor that he had to take a job as a designer with Henri Farman."

"Traces of his genius are to be seen in the 'Goliath' cross-Channel plane. Then, after a few months, he went over to the United States, and made a living constructing small joy-riding aeroplanes, until he had saved enough to get a small syndicate together for the Transatlantic flight, which he thought would restore him to his old supremacy in aviation."

Do You Mean What You Say?

The Register and Tribune Syndicate, Des Moines

SOUR GRAPES



SOUR GRAPES

If you disparage something because it is out of reach, beyond hope of attainment for yourself, some well-meaning friend will bob up with the remark, "Sour grapes." The allusion is to the fable of Aesop concerning a fox, as well as all the famous foxes, which tried in vain to get at some grapes. When he found they were beyond his reach he went away saying, "I see they are sour."

Canadian Questions and Answers

BERING SEA ARBITRATION

Q.—What was the Bering Sea arbitration?

A.—The Bering Sea arbitration refers to the tribunal under that name that met in March 22, 1925, at Paris to settle the serious friction that existed between Canadian and American sealers in Bering Sea. An agreement was reached that though the sea was to be open to all sealers, the seals must not be killed out of season, thereby quieting the unrest.

Other People's Views

Letters addressed to the Editor and intended for publication must be short and highly written. The longer an article the more the chance of its being rejected. The Editor reserves the right to reject or to edit any article. The Editor is not responsible for the return of unsolicited material.

DONORS THANKED

To the Editor:—The executive of the Victoria Amateur Swimming Club desires through the medium of your columns to express its cordial appreciation and sincere thanks to those who so generously subscribed to the prize fund for the school children's race.

In view of the gratifying success attendant on this event, it is only just that the citizens of Victoria should be aware of the public spirit of those donors who have made this success possible. The following is a list of those who contributed: Hon. W. C. Nichol, Hon. John Oliver, Mayor Carl Fendler, Victoria City Council, Oak Bay School Athletic Association, The Victoria City Council, B.C. Electric Railway Co., Gyros, John Wenger, T. Wellburn and L. McNeill.

L. D. McNEILL, President V.A.S.C.

Victoria, B.C., October 22, 1926.

CITY MANAGER

To the Editor:—Your editorial "Civic Finances," last paragraph, says: "It may be asked incidentally how any City Manager could have produced a better state of civic affairs than now so obviously exists. This is a question which the City Manager should consider seriously before embarking on new experiments." The answer is: By applying his superior knowledge of civic affairs, gained by long experience and proved ability in that capacity, and because his reputation and a good salary are at stake. Please permit me to quote from the (October) Journal of the Institute of Public Administration, Oxford University Press:

"There are, however, some defects of public enterprise which can be amended by improvements in the existing system. One difficulty in the case of municipal services is that the local councillor is not elected for competence in organizing. He may be quite good in the quasi-legislative function of framing by-laws and may be quite fatuous in the industrial function of organizing a tram service. He may even be unable to distinguish income from expenditure. And again, even if he is capable, he is not likely to give enough time and thought to the public services."

"Further, the divine right of committees, which appear in our advanced age to have taken the place of the divine right of kings, involves that one councillor may be a member of many different committees. That means divided energy. But, worst of all, because a committee is the theoretical source of authority, no one member of the committee can be held responsible for the bad service complained of by the consumer."

"For such reasons as these the plan of the City Commission and the City Manager has been introduced in about 400 cities of the United States. This plan is not being advocated here; but it is worth considering. Instead of an omnifunctional council, a small commission of five is elected, each of whom has charge of one specific municipal service—finance, transport, lighting, etc. This one man is clearly responsible if the service is defective."

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The commissioners are generally paid and are expected to put most of their energy into their civic work. They are supposed to be elected for competence and civic interest—not because of party affiliations or group interests; and it is possible that irrelevant "national" issues or dangerous financial influences are less likely to obstruct good administration in the election of a few for specific purposes. The commissioners' work, however, has been found in many cities to be unco-ordinated and therefore the City Manager plan was adopted. The City Manager is selected from anywhere in the world by the commission and given complete authority and responsibility for running the city services. He is highly paid and is practically a permanent official but, of course, much more powerful than an English town clerk and generally an engineer or business man rather than a lawyer.

JOHN DEAN.

P.O. Box 243, Victoria B.C., October 23, 1926.

ARMISTICE DAY

To the Editor:—It is indeed regrettable that Thanksgiving Day and Armistice Day have been combined in one holiday throughout the Dominion.

It seems to have been done to avoid having too many holidays in the Fall. If that is advisable then Labor Day and Thanksgiving Day could be more fittingly combined. There is nothing conflicting in doing so. Our harvest is well advanced early in September, and the rendering of thanks to the Creator for providing food for our needs for another year could be arranged on Labor Day quite well. Neither commemorate any particular date.

But Armistice Day strikes an entirely different and deeper note in our hearts. Those whose dead lie beyond the sea are not in any mood for merry-making. They cannot tend the graves of those they mourn, but they do want to lay their wreaths on the memorials on this "Day of Remembrance." Surely we who are responsible for the agony they suffered to make the Armistice possible can give this one day up to honoring them.

For those gallant men who returned with broken bodies which they threw against the guns to keep us safe, have we so little appreciation of what they suffered, that we cannot keep this one day free so that we may send our way with them to the memorial service they hold in memory of their comrades who went West?

Even the two minutes' silence broken by the noise and rush of the work-a-day world, and the sacredness of its meaning sinking into oblivion!

Those to whom this day brings sad memories feel too hurt at our indifference to plead that this precious anniversary shall be made a public holiday.

So we women, in whose hands lie the privilege of cherishing the finer and deeper influences of life, should make it our duty to see that this day of all days shall be a real "Day of Remembrance."

The last great gift of those dear dead to us was Peace, so we mothers shall be safe-guarding the future of our children by having them take part in such commemoration and by teaching them the true significance of Armistice Day.

It will impress on the minds of those who are growing up to be the leaders of thought and moulders of public opinion in future years, the remembrance of the terrible tragedy of war, and that it is never justifiable unless dishonor is the alternative.

If Armistice Day should take its rightful place as an international holiday set aside in commemoration of the dead of all nations who so quietly lie side by side in peace, it would help more than any one thing to draw all together in one common bond.

It would keep awake in our hearts a real and earnest desire for peace, and on that foundation alone can the League of Nations build up a permanent structure. Without that they are powerless.

Can not every woman's and returned men's organization get behind this movement?

It will touch a responsive chord in every heart and be a lasting credit to us and to our country. The eleventh day of November does not belong to us. It belongs to "Our Heroic Dead."

CHRISTINA J. S. CLARK.

Shirley, B. C.

The WEATHER

Daily Bulletin Forecast

Latest Report

Victoria, Oct. 25.—5 a.m.—The barometer is rising on the Northern Coast and cloudy, mild weather prevails over this section of the coast.

In Alberta and Saskatchewan, white frosts have occurred in Manitoba.

Victoria—Barometer, 30.13; temperature, maximum yesterday, 45; minimum, 40; wind, 10 m.p.h.; weather, cloudy.

Vancouver—Barometer, 30.16; temperature, maximum yesterday, 70; minimum, 46; wind, calm; rain, 1.5; weather, clear.

Kamloops—Barometer, 30.12; temperature, maximum yesterday, 45; minimum, 35; wind, 4 m.p.h.; weather, clear.

Nelson—Temperature, maximum yesterday, 45; minimum, 35; wind, 4 m.p.h.; weather, clear.

Swift Current—Temperature, maximum yesterday, 45; minimum, 35; wind, 4 m.p.h.; weather, clear.

Calgary—Temperature, maximum yesterday, 45; minimum, 35; wind, 4 m.p.h.; weather, clear.

Edmonton—Temperature, maximum yesterday, 45; minimum, 35; wind, 4 m.p.h.; weather, clear.

Regina—Temperature, maximum yesterday, 45; minimum, 35; wind, 4 m.p.h.; weather, clear.

Saskatoon—Temperature, maximum yesterday, 45; minimum, 35; wind, 4 m.p.h.; weather, clear.

Winnipeg—Temperature, maximum yesterday, 45; minimum, 35; wind, 4 m.p.h.; weather, clear.

Manitoba—Temperature, maximum yesterday, 45; minimum, 35; wind, 4 m.p.h.; weather, clear.

Ontario—Temperature, maximum yesterday, 45; minimum, 35; wind, 4 m.p.h.; weather, clear.

Quebec—Temperature, maximum yesterday, 45; minimum, 35; wind, 4 m.p.h.; weather, clear.

New Brunswick—Temperature, maximum yesterday, 45; minimum, 35; wind, 4 m.p.h.; weather, clear.

Nova Scotia—Temperature, maximum yesterday, 45; minimum, 35; wind, 4 m.p.h.; weather, clear.

Prince Edward Island—Temperature, maximum yesterday, 45; minimum, 35; wind, 4 m.p.h.; weather, clear.

Newfoundland—Temperature, maximum yesterday, 45; minimum, 35; wind, 4 m.p.h.; weather, clear.

Atlantic—Temperature, maximum yesterday, 45; minimum, 35; wind, 4 m.p.h.; weather, clear.

Pacific—Temperature, maximum yesterday, 45; minimum, 35; wind, 4 m.p.h.; weather, clear.

Indian—Temperature, maximum yesterday, 45; minimum, 35; wind, 4 m.p.h.; weather, clear.

Arctic—Temperature, maximum yesterday, 45; minimum, 35; wind, 4 m.p.h.; weather, clear.

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Cosmos—Temperature, maximum yesterday, 45; minimum, 35; wind, 4 m.p.h.; weather, clear.

Proxima—Temperature, maximum yesterday, 45; minimum, 35; wind, 4 m.p.h.; weather, clear.

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RECENT TORONTO CONFERENCE WAS COMPLETE SUCCESS

Dr. Sipprell Tells of Great Conference in the East on World Service

"The three thousand people who packed Metropolitan Church, Toronto, to the roof, recently in connection with the recent conference on world service listened to some of the most remarkable speakers in the world empire by some of Canada's most capable speakers," writes Dr. W. J. Sipprell, who attended the conference. President Falconer of the University of Toronto occupied the chair and his observations were worthy of note.

"These days must be made mighty days in power, if we surpass the days of our fathers—for we are no longer a feeble folk. We are large in numbers—we are out of the wilderness. We are not called upon to blaze trails through the forests—we are out in the open. Any man who is pessimistic about Canada does not know the history of Canada, the history of the 30's and 40's and 60's. We are a people great in unity, in originality and in adventure. The tides of Canada are coming in. We are coming out of the offing. We shall soon be heard in the harbor bay. Are we ready for the ships that soon will come in on the high tides of prosperity? Shall they find us ready to receive them, ready with the faith and spiritual daring and power of prayer that our fathers had? It is to make us ready that this great conference has been called together. Let us seek the leadership of the Holy Spirit and to me that means doing one's duty in the circumstances in which one is placed.

Rev. Dr. Endicott, moderator of the United Church, was asked to address the gathering on:

"The Present Situation in China" and he said: If I were to take a subject by which to introduce my subject, I would take this one from the Old Testament "The more they were presented the more they multiplied and grew," and then this other word from the New Testament "These things turned out to the furtherance of the gospel."

The situation in China is by no means a new situation. At the end of every dynasty in China you have thirty years of trouble.

The situation to-day is not more serious than it has been in other days. At the end of the "Min" dynasty 82 Chuen was so harried that there was not left a chicken or a dog. Seventy-five years ago more people were killed in trouble in China than were killed in the recent great war. Not as many people were killed in China in the past ten years, as were killed by automobiles on this country so cheer up!

The situation in China can be explained. It is largely due to Russia's influence. And a Russian revolted against a terrible government. It was an awful despotism. Britishers would have revolted long ago. We must not be too hard on Russia. She did much to her story in the war. Our Western armies were well armed—the Russians went out almost empty-handed. Then, too, Russia had complaints religiously. Their religious leaders did not play fair. The hungry sheep looked up and they were not fed. Now you carry all that Russian revolt over to China, and what do you find? Well, you find the Chinese sympathetic with the programme of revolution. They say we cannot have freedom for our own leaders have led us badly and western nations have not played fair with us. They have defrauded and exploited us. Made us sign treaties that have made us slaves. Go to Shanghai, and you will see little children driven to the factories, working for long hours at starvation wages. In the name of God is that right? I say no. China has not had guidance. If they seem to oppose Christianity it is only because it is a foreign thing and they are out against everything foreign, and we too find it easier to go after things foreigner than after ourselves. We have never gone to China without taking things in our going. Thirty years ago when I was in China I was shot at through a window and I went to another window and I was shot at again. I would have been dead if I had not been so thin. At Wai Hai, where the disturbance is greatest to-day I was disturbed in the streets and the only reason they missed me was because they hadn't become Christian enough to know how to throw stones. In West China years ago when our mission was founded, it was all burned to the ground by the Chinese. Then came the Boxer Rebellion when the Emperor ordered every missionary to be killed. One missionary carried out to his command. Thousands of native

Christians were put to death more than were put to death in the days of Nero. The situation in China, I say, is not new—it is not more serious—it is not altogether hopeless. We hadn't a Christian institution in China seventy-five years ago. Twenty-six years ago we had 200,000 Christians. Fifty years ago we had 400,000 Christians. Today there are 400,000 Christians in China. We have five times as many missionaries there as we had twenty-five years ago. We have hundreds upon hundreds of Chinese preachers and teachers there. The Christian Church was never so strong in China as it is to-day. We must get all our people to visualize our missionaries out yonder. We have told them all to come home if they want to, to send home their wives and their children and they say to us: No, thank you, we will stay by our work out here. Let us show our people in Canada what the native Christians in China are suffering and what our splendid missionaries are enduring for the cause of Christ and our task of raising a few paltry dollars to help them with will seem or thing too small to worry over or to boast about.

FARMERS ASK RIGHT OF NIGHT SHOOTING

Destruction of Root Crop by Deer Serious, Say Alberni Men

Protests from Alberni farmers against wholesale destruction of crops by deer protected under the Game Act have been received by the Attorney-General's department, accompanied by a request that he send an agent to the district to investigate the merits of the complaints.

Farmers assembling at a meeting under the auspices of the Farmers' Institute were unanimous in their decision that the loss of root crops has been disastrous. Farmers from all parts of the district were present and many expressed the opinion that unless they can secure protection against deer destroying their produce at night they will be forced to abandon growing root crops completely.

With the protest they forwarded to the Attorney-General a long list of specific damages which they stated would stand thorough examination. The loss of a light at night time to fire on deer and pheasants at any time between June and December is suggested by the farmers. The privilege they suggest would be confined to their own fields and gardens and in making the request they point out to the Attorney-General that they know of no other way to protect their crops.

STARTS IN LIFE INSURANCE FIELD



E. W. CLAYTON

manager of the local office of the C.P.R. Company's telegraph service for the past ten years, who has resigned from the service of the company to join the staff of the Manufacturers' Life Insurance Company. He will take up his duties immediately but will continue to reside in this city. Mr. Clayton is well known throughout British Columbia, having served as telegraph manager at different points during the last sixteen years. Previous to taking up the Victoria office he was in charge of offices at Golden, Kamloops and Nelson.

Lord Willington's Office Gazetted

Ottawa, Oct. 25 (Canadian Press)—Formal notice of his appointment is posted by the new Governor-General of Canada, Viscount Willington, in The Canada Gazette. It states the King, "by commission under his royal manual sign and signet," has "authorized, empowered and commanded" Viscount Willington to exercise the duties of Governor-General and Commander-in-Chief of Canada, and adds:

"Now therefore, know ye that I have thought fit to issue this proclamation in order to make known His Majesty's said appointment, and I do also hereby require and command that all and singular His Majesty's officers and Ministers in the said Dominion of Canada do continue in the execution of their several and respective offices, places and employments and that the His Majesty's loving subjects and all others whom it may concern do take notice hereof and govern themselves accordingly."

Police Are Hunting Escaped Convicts

Houston, Texas, Oct. 25.—Two of twenty-five convicts who escaped from Blue Ridge State Farm No. 2, near here, were captured Sunday night, according to a report from the prison camp this morning. It is believed by guards at the farm that the escaping men divided into two parties, one heading toward a retreat in Houston and the other striking for the wilderness of Brazoria County, south of the prison farm.

Hallowe'en Novelties

Small size Masks for children, each 5¢
Masks of different kinds, at each 15¢
Animal Masks, each 25¢
Hallowe'en Seals, per pkt. 10¢
Hallowe'en Post Cards, at 3 for 5¢
Hallowe'en Invitation Cards, per dozen 35¢
Hallowe'en Tally Cards, per dozen 35¢
—Stationery, Lower Main Floor



A Sale of Beautiful Madeira Linens

This special offering of beautiful Madeira work comprises Afternoon Tea Sets, Table Centres, Runners and Napkins.

Six only, Madeira Tea Sets, comprising one 24-inch round centre, six 9-inch dollies, six 6-inch dollies. Regular price, a set, on sale for \$5.75
24-Inch Madeira Round Centres, reg. \$2.75, for \$1.75
24-Inch Madeira Round Centres, reg. \$3.50, for \$2.00
24-Inch Madeira Round Centres, reg. \$4.75, for \$3.75
24-Inch Madeira Round Centres, reg. \$5.75, for \$3.75

Hand-embroidered Round Cloths

18x72 inches, reg. price, each, \$18.75, for \$13.00
18x54 inches, reg. price, each, \$8.95, for \$7.50
18x45 inches, reg. price, each, \$7.75, for \$6.50
18x45 inches, reg. price, each, \$9.75, for \$7.75

Hand-embroidered Round Cloths

36-Inch across, reg. price \$7.50 for \$5.75
36-Inch across, reg. price \$8.75 for \$6.75
54-Inch across, reg. price \$21.00 for \$16.75
72-Inch across, reg. price \$37.50 for \$29.75
This Madeira work is executed upon the finest quality linen, all perfectly fresh work and at these reductions should sell readily for Christmas gifts and other presentations.
—Linens, Main Floor

Girls' Pullover Sweaters \$1.75 and \$2.50

Girls' Pullover Sweaters, all wool quality in assorted colors. A new shipment just placed in stock, showing attractive styles for girls from 8 to 14 years. Special at \$2.50
Girls' Pull over Sweaters in neat styles with turndown collar and long sleeves, shown in fawn with blue, blue with fawn and henna with fawn. Sizes for 4 to 8 years, at \$1.75
—Children's Wear, First Floor

Dainty Rayon Silk Undies

Silk Vests in opera style, well tailored and shown in Nile, white, pink, peach, sunni, June rose and apricot. Sizes 36 to 44, \$1.00 and \$1.25
Silk Knit Vests in all the above shades, finished with hemstitched top and straps, at \$1.50
Silk Bloomers, good weight and quality; shades are black, white, poudre, platinum, and ashes of roses. A pair \$1.95
Silk Bloomers, cut with saddle gusset, fit perfectly; shown in shades of black, white, pink, peach, poudre and japonieu. Sizes 36 to 40, at \$2.50
Silk Bloomers with pleated sides, good large gusset, very comfortable and neat. Shown in black, white, pink, peach, orchid, versailles, cinnamon, grey, Marie Antoinette and parchment. Sizes 36 to 44 at \$2.95
—Underwear, First Floor

SCOTCH MADRAS

A fine selection of Scotch Madras, of superior grade and attractively priced—
Scotch Madras 36 inches wide, plain and bordered designs, green only, on sale a yard 39¢
Scotch Madras 45 inches wide, scalloped borders and fine designs, a yard 65¢
Scotch Madras 36 inches wide, good grade and with wide flat hem border. Cream, a yard 55¢
Scotch Madras 42 inches wide, with wide hem border. Coffee color, a yard 95¢
Scotch Madras 50 inches wide, fine grade, embroidery. Cream color, a yard 95¢
Scotch Madras 50 inches wide, finest grade made. Priced from, a yard \$1.15 to \$1.45
—Drapery, Second Floor

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Our 53rd Anniversary Merchandising Event

Sterling Values Offered Tuesday

A Most Inviting Offering of Madeira Linens

For Sports Wear, Silk and Wool

CARDIGANS \$6.95

Shown in shades of mauve, grey, white and black, most desirable sweaters, of lovely quality wool and silk mixture, made with two set-in pockets and featuring the new roll collar. Priced at \$6.95
—Sweaters, First Floor

English Silk Knit Jumpers

A New Shipment

Selling For \$2.95

Stylish Jumpers of fibre silk in attractive fancy weaves. They have elbow length sleeves and round necks, finished with crocheted edge. Cord at waist and neck to adjust fullness. Shades are shrimp, canary, sand, white and grey. Each \$2.95
—Blouses, First Floor

A Pleasing Array of

Party Frocks

In a Diversity of Pretty Styles for the Social Festivities of the Fall and Winter

\$16.90 to \$29.75

Among the many beautiful styles for afternoon and evening wear we are showing are a number of very fashionable modes in georgette, satin, taffeta and silver lace.

In these the long waist, flared, bouffant and tiered skirts are featured, while lace, silk and flowers make most effective trimmings. Some have flowers and silk on both neck and shoulder and many have scarves of self materials. The colors prevailing include peach, loganberry, blue, maize, rose, reseda, mauve. Very fetching styles for young matrons or misses, and great value for \$16.90 to \$29.75
—Mantles, First Floor

SILK DRESSES \$22.90

Impressive Styles for Afternoon

For bridge teas, musicales and club functions you will find these Dresses most appropriate. They are of exceptionally good grade silk, designed with double collar, showing new trimming of Valencia blue, with same material in front panels and cuffs; also Dresses with new tucked bodice effect and smart suede belt. Some good styles in new bronze shade with silk and velvet ruched on hips and gathered to belt. New Coat, bolero and two-piece effects shown. A great selection and great values at \$22.90
—Mantles, First Floor

A Practical Christmas Gift

Send a 40-lb. box of Fancy Grade B.C. Apples to your Old Country friends for Christmas. The apples are carried in the cold chamber of the steamer, which arrives in Liverpool about December 15. All orders will be delivered by Christmas Day. Price, including all transportation charges, delivered to any address in Great Britain or Ireland \$5.00



Distinctive Footwear

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Vogue Shoes by Boyd-Welsh express dignity and grace. The designs are exclusive, yet meet the popular style demands of the day for daytime or evening wear.



Shoes That Reflect the Genius of Master Craftsmen In patent and black satin \$10.00 And in colored kid at \$12.00
—Women's Shoes, First Floor

Children's Woolen Coat and Cap Sets, \$2.95

Very attractive little Sets, comprising sweater coat and cap to match, in shades of fawn, blue and apricot, in sizes for 2 to 4 years, at \$2.95
—Children's Wear, First Floor



Youthful Large Brimmed Black Satin Hats

Offered Tuesday At

\$4.95 and \$5.95

Black Satin Hats, wide brimmed, charming alike for matrons or misses. They have sectional or pullover tam crowns and are shown in large or small fittings. We do not remember better values ever being offered. Decidedly underpriced at \$4.95 and \$5.95
—Millinery, First Floor

Men's Velour Hats, \$4.50

Remarkable Values

Just received a shipment of Men's Velour Hats of exceptional quality, and have marked them for brisk selling. They are made with semi-roll brim and will retain their shape after months of wear. Have leather sweat band, saten lining and in shades of greystone and pearl with black bands, fawn and seal with brown bands; sizes 6 1/2 to 7 1/2. A great value for \$4.50
—Men's Hats, Main Floor

Perrin's Gloves For Men, Fall Weights

Grey or tanned, lined Mocha Gloves, a pair \$2.00

Men's Tan Mocha Gloves, lined and very warm, a pair \$2.25
Men's Grey or Tan Mocha Gloves, well lined, a pair \$3.50
Men's shapely Tan Kid Gloves, a pair \$2.50
With knitted lining, a pair \$2.75
Men's Tan Kid Gloves with fur trimmed wrist and strap, a pair \$3.00
Imported Scotch Heather Wool Gloves, pull over style, a pair 50¢
Extra Fine Wool Gloves, leather bound and with one-dome fastener. A pair, 75¢ and \$1.00
Black Astrachan Driving Gloves, lined and with rubber interlining. Gauntlet wrist \$1.75
Youths' Astrachan Gloves with strap at wrist \$1.50
Without strap at wrist, a pair \$1.25
Men's Auto Gloves, lined and with gauntlet wrist. Tan or black, \$2.50 to \$4.95
Men's Silk Lined Tan or Grey Mocha Gloves, a pair, \$3.00 and \$3.50
Dark Tanned Silk Lined Kid Gloves (Perrin's) \$3.00
Men's Grey Suede Gloves, unlined \$2.00
Motorman's Driving Gloves, cream horsehide, with one-dome fastener \$2.00
Perrin's Fall Weight Fabric Gloves, pelican, buck, chamois, a pair \$1.00
—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor

Men's Caps, \$1.50 to \$3.00

You have a choice of the best and dressiest Caps from the complete stock now being shown in the Men's Hat Section. All of substantial cloths and such makes as Renfrew, Wolfe, G. and C., the most noted Eastern cap makers' best productions. Shades include fawns, browns, greens and greys. Plain and inverted back, flexible cork visors, waterproof and unbreakable. Priced at \$1.50 to \$3.00
—Men's Caps, Main Floor

"CASCARETS" FOR COSTIVE BOWELS, HEADACHE, COLDS

To-night! Clean your bowels and stop headache, colds, sour stomach

Get a 10-cent box now. Turn the rascals out—the headache, biliousness, indigestion, the sick, sour stomach and bad colds—turn them out to-night and keep them out with Cascarets.

Millions of men and women take a Cascaret now and then and never know the misery caused by a laxative, clogged bowels, or an upset stomach. Don't put in another day of distress. Let Cascarets cleanse your stomach; remove the sour, fermenting food; take the excess bile from your liver and carry out all the constipated waste matter and poison in the bowels. Then you will feel great. A Cascaret to-night straightens you out by morning. They work while you sleep. A 10-cent box from any drug store means a clear head, sweet stomach and clean, healthy liver and bowels for months. Children love Cascarets because they never gripe or sicken. (Advt.)

SPECIALS FOR TUESDAY

Reception Tea, Ceylon's Best, 1-lb. pkg.	59c
Morton's St. Vincent Arrowroot, 1-lb. pkt., reg. 45c for .35c	
Huntley & Palmer's Malted Meal Biscuits, reg. 30c pkg. for 25c	
Sago or Tapioca, 4 lbs.	25c
Rowntree's Cocoa, 1/2-lb. tin	20c
3 Bars Lifebuoy Soap, 1 Pkg. Rinso, all for	25c
Reliance Pineapple Marmalade, 4-lb. can	55c
Fresh Local Rabbits, lb.	25c
Nice Fresh Tripe, 3 lbs.	25c
Sirloin Steak, lb.	27c
Rollad Prime Ribs Beef, lb.	25c
Young Red Salmon, half or whole fish, lb.	15c
Nice Smoked Salmon, lb.	20c
Robin Hood Rolled Oats, 7-lb. sack	38c

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YOUR BABY and MINE

Mrs. Eldred will be glad to answer all questions pertaining to babies and children. A stamped and self-addressed envelope forwarded to this office will bring a personal reply.

VEGETABLES NOT LIKED

Mrs. J. K. writes: "I would like to ask some questions about my eighteen-month-old baby who only weighs twenty-one pounds. She has been cutting teeth all summer, do you think this will keep her from gaining? She seems to feel good and is lively. I keep her out of doors as much as possible. When she was small I had her on a schedule but when I weaned her she stopped gaining so well. She will hardly eat enough vegetables to satisfy her appetite but she drinks a big glass of milk at each meal. She sleeps all night without waking. Would you print a recipe for preparing codded egg?"

Answer
The combination of heat and teething might well act to keep a baby from making any startling gains, but it is unusual for a child to make no gains at all for six months, whatever the reason. If the diet is sufficient for its needs, I imagine that you are depending, like many mothers, on milk, instead of realizing that a child's development after the first year must depend on a general mixed diet, plus milk—but not entirely milk.
So many mothers say, just as you do, "the baby is getting all the milk he will drink," and feeling satisfied that with lots of milk he is sure to get along all right. That is only because mothers have been so educated

to the advantages of milk that they forget that there are other foods of importance for second year feeding. Cereals, eggs or meat, fruit juices, and vegetables are essential to a perfect diet, and with this diet milk is a necessary addition.
Please write for the leaflet on weaning and feeding and correct the child's diet. I am sure this correction will insure a proper gain in weight.
Put an egg into a small deep saucepan of boiling water, take off the fire and cover. In five minutes the egg will be like jelly. This is what is called a codded egg. But be sure the water is deep so that the egg is well covered.
Worms Again!
Mrs. L. G. S. writes: "I doubt very much if the boy has worms, at any rate it is not a matter to guess about because of any particular symptoms, as children with worms often show no symptoms of them at all—but to satisfy yourself have the stools examined. If the child has worms you will find them in the stools. Perhaps the boy's evening meal is too much for him. Bread and milk and fruit sauce, or well cooked cereal and milk, with a glass of milk to drink makes the best possible 'supper' for a child of that age. The boy is a healthy, well-fed and one-half years. The restlessness is more than likely due to indigestion caused by too heavy an evening meal."

QUEEN MARIE LEAVES NEW YORK FOR WEST

Sunday a Hectic Day For Royal Party; Next Stop Buffalo

New York, Oct. 25.—Queen Marie of Rumania to-day was aboard the rolling palace of ten special railway cars that will be her home for the two months of her western tour. Leaving New York at 7:50 a.m., she is due at Buffalo at 8 p.m. She will make a radio talk there from Station W.G.R. and will leave Buffalo for Niagara early to-morrow morning.
Marie spent Sunday hurrying through a maze of functions that crowded her last day in New York. She went to church, attended a reception and a luncheon for the official representatives of the governors of all the states, met with representatives of the press, visited an art gallery in buying mood and attended a gala performance at the Metropolitan Opera House.

The Queen's cold was much improved this morning.
Princess Ileana donned the native Rumanian schoolgirl dress for her reception Saturday morning at the Capitol Theatre, where American girls in many types of service uniforms, scout, camp fire girl, Junior Red Cross, Y.W.C.A. and others, crowded to honor her. After a programme of playlets and music had been presented, and the Princess had been given a souvenir book bearing the signature of girls of every race and interest, as well as leading welfare workers, the slender, gracious eighteen-year-old princess rose to express her thanks.
It was Ileana's first speech in this country. The spotlight fell on her dark fine features, dark hair, blue eyes and fresh color, set off by the tinsel bandana of her costume. Her gentle voice spoke through the microphone, first in Rumanian, then in English: "Thank you with all my heart for this wonderful reception."

The following assisted: Bertram Ward and Henry Rankin, Frances and Theresa Thomas, Florence Hanley, Jean Speedie, Walter Wilson, Patricia Petherbridge, Audrey Beare, Myrtle Smith, Gordon Keown, M. Sidgate, W. Thomas, George Wilson and Pauline Clayton.

Princess Bonaparte Dies Near Turin

Rome, Oct. 25.—Princess Letitia Napoleon Bonaparte, widow of the first Duke of Oporto, died to-day. Death occurred at her home near Turin. She would have been sixty years old in December.
The Princess was an aunt of King Victor Emmanuel and a sister of Prince Jerome Napoleon Bonaparte, who died some time ago in Brussels.
W. I. Silver Tea—A silver tea and sale of home cooking with a programme will be held under the auspices of the Victoria Women's Institutes at the home of Mrs. Laird, 2602 West Street, on Wednesday, October 27, from 3 till 5 o'clock. Nos. 6 and 7 cars go near the residence.
A corner cupboard is not only very attractive, but gives an opportunity to display to advantage some of your most interesting pieces of china or glass.

SOCIAL PERSONAL WOMEN'S AFFAIRS CLUB AND NEWS

LOCAL MEMBERS TO ATTEND PROVINCIAL W.B.A. MEETING

Victoria Reviews to Take Part in Thursday's Rally in Vancouver

Victoria members of the Women's Benefit Association to the number of thirty-five will leave on Wednesday afternoon to attend the Provincial rally of the order to be held in Vancouver on Thursday under the direction of Deputy Supreme Commander-at-Large, Mrs. Lora Baker of San Francisco.
Practically every review in the Province will be represented at the rally and Queen Alexandra Review No. 11 of Victoria will be represented on the programme by its guard team under the command of Captain Mrs. Cecilia Keatinge.

A large class of candidates for membership, representative of various parts of the Province will be initiated by the Deputy Supreme Commander.
The Women's Benefit Association claims to be the largest fraternal society in the world composed exclusively of women. Its membership being approximately 300,000, and its accumulated reserve fund over \$20,000,000. Since organization, \$32,000,000 has been paid on death claims. The programme for the rally is as follows:
Morning session, 10 a.m.—Welcome to visitors. Mrs. Annie Waddell; response, Mrs. Colina Laine; Victoria greetings to distinguished visitors, Mrs. Cynthia French; response, Mrs. Lora Baker; instruction meeting, Mrs. Lora Baker.
At the luncheon to be held at 12 noon, the toastmistress will be Mrs. H. Wilson and there will be community singing.
Afternoon session, 2 p.m.—Opening, Vancouver Heights Review; patriotic service, picked team officers and guards; initiation, short form, Grand review; delivery of certificates, Margaret Laine; review, No. 151, Flower Fund March, Queen Alexandra Review No. 11.
Evening session, 8 p.m.—Opening, secret review, Vancouver Review No. 1; guard teams all reviews; patriotic service, New Westminster Review No. 3; initiation, Vancouver Review No. 7; flower fund march, Vancouver Review No. 9; and dedication of altar, North Vancouver Review, No. 4.

Mrs. Mary Williams of Vancouver, who has been spending the last week in Victoria, returned this afternoon to her home on the mainland.
The many friends of Dr. Hodgson will be pleased to know he is now fully recovered from his indisposition and is back at his studio.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Dick, James Bay Hotel, spent the week-end at Saturday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Payne.
Mrs. C. E. Thomas, St. Charles Street, who has been spending the last five weeks in Vancouver as the guest of friends, has returned to Victoria.

Commander C. H. R. Slingsby of Oak Bay Avenue, left yesterday for Knaresborough, Yorkshire, England, where he was called owing to the serious illness of his mother.
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Bishop Rowe Speaker at Friday's Meeting; Christmas Gifts Wanted

Bishop Rowe gave an interesting report of his work in the mission fields of Alaska at the monthly meeting of the Diocesan Board of the Columbia W.A. held in the Memorial Hall on Friday.

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JUNIOR BRANCHES
The work of the junior branches was given by Mrs. Chow, the report from the Alert Bay branch, under Mrs. Krumpholtz, being especially interesting. The contributions to the stained glass window for the new cathedral continue to come in very satisfactorily. The pledge assumed by the juniors at the Dominion annual meeting for the next year is \$10,000.

In Japan, India, Palestine, for Requimaux, Indian work at Village Island, also Chinese work in Victoria, and Japanese work at Vancouver, with educational work. A girls' branch has been organized at Alert Bay under Mrs. Comely's direction, and the Albert girls' branch is doing fine work, Miss Duncan reported. By a unanimous vote the girls' branches have decided that their share of the new cathedral is to be the amount required for the outside pulpit and for the door leading out of the cathedral thereto, which will be suitably inscribed.

STUDY CLASS
The literature secretary, Mrs. Laycock, urged all literature secretaries to attend the study class to be held on Thursday, November 11, at Cathedral Memorial Hall. Seven new books have been added to the library. "Twenty-five Years as Bishop of London" is a fascinating story, and especially of interest since the recent visit of the Archbishop of Canterbury. Copies can now be obtained, also of Bishop Hompes of the Frozen North," and "Through Western Canada in a Caravan," by Miss Eva Hall, who is to give a lecture on the subject of the "Fabled sweetest" of the cathedral Memorial Hall. Superintendents of junior branches were asked to encourage children to make up the list of books for the library, which is well stocked with interesting and instructive books, at present not sufficiently appreciated by the juniors.

Miss Turner read intercessions at the opening of the afternoon session, when special prayer was offered for a W.A. member seriously ill in hospital.

BISHOP WELCOMED
Bishop Schofield was given a hearty welcome on his return from the East, and spoke of the supremely wonderful note that pervaded the recent meetings of the Synod, which he attended in Winnipeg and the fact that in spite of all difficulties and opposition all over the world, the missionary work of the church is going steadily forward.

In reporting the Dominion annual meeting, held last month in London, Ontario, Mrs. Dickson of the old-established homes of the East, which seem to exercise an influence of calmness and stability upon those fortunate enough to live in them.

MISSIONARY CANDIDATES
Regarding the resolution sent in by Columbia W.A. which was carefully and favorably considered, the candidates who desire to be trained for missionary work can now receive their preliminary examination in their own diocese, but the final test must be made by Dr. Anderson of Toronto, and the project of a training home in the West already begun to be a possibility, and may take shape after the jubilee year of 1931.

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Following Mrs. Dickson's report, at the afternoon session, Bishop Rowe of Alaska gave a most interesting overview of his thirty-one years of work in Alaska, a large field with a diversity of need for hospital, school and church work. During the Klondike Rush and the Nome Stampede, but every mining camp had its hospital, even in a rough and ready manner, the influence of good Christian nurses was felt and "the Gospel in action" was vividly portrayed by the church's care for the sick and suffering.

Schools for natives, both Eskimaux and Indian, had been valuable in training the young into a better way of life, and Bishop Rowe spoke admiringly of Bishop Stringer's valuable hostel for half-breed children which supplied a need long left neglected. At Fort Yukon there is a well developed mission in which the W.A. members of the United States do valuable work. Mrs. Schofield moved a hearty vote of thanks to Bishop Rowe for his most instructive and interesting address.

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Havana, Oct. 25.—The official estimate of the casualties issued Saturday by the Red Cross following the great hurricane of last week—400 dead, 5,000 injured and 9,000 families homeless—was unchanged to-day.

In the city of Havana 117 bodies of storm victims have already been buried.

The Cuban Government has found it necessary to ask for outside aid. The United States Embassy remained open all Sunday in an endeavor to arrange the delivery of supplies to the stricken area. The United States army and navy have been asked for tents and 1,000 large tents as temporary shelters for the homeless.

TRAINS ARE RUN

Trains are operating to a majority of the stricken districts and supplies have been sent to the Isle of Pines direct from Havana in two naval vessels from Guantanamo and two from Key West. Relief commissions are distributing free food from kitchens which have been established throughout the storm area.

More than \$5,000,000 is available for relief work among the poorer people. Water is scarce and electric lights are still lacking in a large part of the city.

Few cases of profiteering have been reported, but numerous arrests have been made involving extortion. Foreigners caught profiteering will be deported under the terms of a presidential decree.

The work of repairing the streets, buildings and roads has given employment to many of the homeless and refugees.

SUGAR CROP LOSS

No general estimate of the damage to the sugar crop has been received, but all except a few of the mills expect to be able to start grinding the next crop in January. In the provinces of Havana and Matanzas fifty per cent of the crop is said to be unusable on some plantations, but sugar men here do not believe the general damage will exceed thirty per cent in the area swept by the storm.

Keating

Keating, Oct. 23.—The South Saanich Women's Institute held a busy meeting for the month of October in the institute rooms Temperance Hall on Thursday evening. Mrs. W. D. Mitchell presiding. A number of letters and the report of the recent directors' meeting were read by Mrs. C. T. Sytan, secretary.

Correspondence received included a half-yearly report from the Y.W.C.A. telling of the work that is being carried on by that body.

Data and price of the Provincial Potato, Bulb and Seed show were received from Mr. Tice. The South Saanich Women's Institute will compete in the institute class again this year and the members were asked to prepare their potatoes for exhibit.

Reading of data concerning the home economics chair was followed by a general discussion on the matter. A yearly report on school health work from Dr. Young was also read. Mrs. Shering, convener of the child welfare committee will give a paper on the subject of the November meeting.

A report from the Junior Institute Club was given by Miss Margaret Mitchell. The Junior members will hold a Halloween concert and dance in the Temperance Hall on October 29 and have also decided to assist with a Christmas entertainment for the children. Mrs. J. J. Young, reported for the school committee.

A number of entertainments for the winter months are being planned and the first to be a chicken supper and dance in the Temperance Hall on Thanksgiving day, November 8.

The date for the annual country store and entertainment was set for December 10 in the Temperance Hall in co-operation with the Farmers' Institute. Mrs. Nimmo was appointed to make a Christmas cake, and the members will make a wool comforter, while Misses Iola Laurie and Margaret Mitchell were appointed to buy and dress a doll for the affair. A number of other prizes are being arranged for.

Mrs. Nimmo, official delegate to the Islands Institute Conference held in Victoria this week, gave the most interesting report of the work and

business carried on each day of the conference.

The institute will hold the fortnightly card party in the rooms on Saturday evening, October 23, when the directors will act as hostesses. The monthly meeting of Mrs. J. J. Young and the members greatly appreciate the kind offer of Mrs. W. White's machine for stitching the comforters. It was decided that a dressmaking class be started for the winter months and the secretary was instructed to arrange for the lessons and a teacher and further announcements will be made later. It was also arranged that an allotted time be given to the study of food values at each meeting and Mrs. J. J. Young was asked to secure a book and information on the subject. At the close of the meeting refreshments were served by the hostesses, Misses Janet Sherrin, Ruby Young, Iola Laurie and Margaret Mitchell.

George Hafer has returned from Port Angeles for a few days' visit at the home of his mother, Mrs. L. Hafer, Central Saanich Road.

Mrs. Willard Mitchell and baby son, East Saanich Road, have returned home from Victoria.

Miss Eleanor Yorke and friends of Vancouver were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. N. H. Lamont, Telegraph Road on Thursday.

Professor Bars of the University of British Columbia was present at the monthly meeting of the South Saanich Farmers' Institute on Thursday evening and addressed the members on "Cover Crops for Orchards." Following the address, W. D. Mitchell presided over the business session. A discussion was held on electric light rates. G. Stewart, H. B. Tanner and W. D. Mitchell were appointed on a committee to co-operate with other districts in an effort to secure a reduction.

The resolution was passed to ask the Government to protect the farmers against loss when purchasing fruit trees with a ruling that a guarantee should be given, as to name and variety of trees, as a number of fruit growers have experienced a loss with this trouble in recent years.

The members were asked to give their support to the forthcoming exhibition and it was decided to invite the Women's Institute and attend the Fair in a body some night during the Fair week. Prices on lime and fertilizers were received by the secretary and samples will be received at the next meeting. Upon an invitation from the Women's Institute the members were in favor of co-operating again this year with a Country Store and entertainment on December 10.

Speakers on the subject of hot-houses will address the farmers at the November meeting. A hearty vote of thanks was extended to Prof. Bars for his address and for the refreshments were served by the Women's Institute.

HON. J. H. KING TO VISIT VANCOUVER

Vancouver, Oct. 25.—Arrangements have been completed for the welcome of Hon. J. H. King and Mrs. King on their arrival here from Ottawa to-morrow for several days' stay.

The Minister of Health and Soldiers' Civil Re-establishment is expected to arrive in the city at 10:10 a.m. to-morrow when a number of prominent officers of the Vancouver Liberal Association will meet him at the depot. To-morrow evening a reception will be given by the Liberal Association of Greater Vancouver will be tendered to Dr. and Mrs. King in the ballroom of the Hotel Vancouver.

Frank D. McConnell, chairman of the reception committee, will preside, and Premier Oliver will deliver a brief address of welcome.

Other Provincial Cabinet Ministers, Hon. W. H. Sutherland, Hon. J. D. MacLean, Hon. E. D. Barrow and Hon. A. M. Manson, K.C., will participate in the proceedings. Dr. King will reply to the welcoming address, and later he and Mrs. King will shake hands with several hundred Vancouver Liberals. The ballroom is to be decorated for the occasion, a buffet supper will be served in the room-adjacent, and after the reception there will be dancing for those who wish it. An orchestra will be in attendance.

The Laurier Club is planning a luncheon in honor of Dr. King for Friday noon and the Liberal Association has invited the minister to a similar function on Thursday.

Brentwood

Brentwood, Oct. 25.—The guild of St. Mary's and St. Stephens held their fortnightly meeting on Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Blissett, East Road. Sixteen members were present and spent the afternoon sewing in preparation for the sale of work to be held on November 24 at the residence of the president, Mrs. F. Turcotte. The stalls will be in charge of the following ladies: Plain and fancy work, Mrs. Greensted and Mrs. Hodgson; home cooking, Mrs. Gale and Mrs. Blissett; candy, Mrs. Ward and Miss Gale; "Orange Surprise" Miss Miles and Miss Barton. Contributions to any of the stalls will be gratefully received by the conveners. Tea was served later in the afternoon and Mrs. Hodgson invited the guild to hold their next meeting on Wednesday, November 3, at her home at Mount Newton.

A merry time is in prospect for the children attending the Halloween fancy dress party to be given by the Women's Institute in the Institute Hall. Prizes will be given for the best Halloween costume, also for the best national, most original, best dressed, comic, nursery rhyme, flower, historical and advertising. A programme of games and other features is being arranged by the teachers, Misses Anderson and Wilkinson and refreshments will be served.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Hunt and family have left for Victoria where they will reside.

A. E. Hole of Clarke Avenue has returned home after spending the last two months on his farm at Myrtle, Manitoba.

Cliff Renouf arrived home on Friday from a month's visit to Edmonton and vicinity.

The West Saanich W.I. will hold their regular card party on Wednesday, November 27 at 5:30 p.m.

Try Our 50c Luncheon

The best of food perfectly cooked and tastefully served, 11.30 to 2.30
—Fourth Floor, H.B.C.



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Time's getting on and you've not yet started on the things you hope to give your friends at Christmas. Let us help you by suggesting the following articles all of which will make acceptable gifts. Lots more, too, in our Art Needlework Department.

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Stamped for French knot and lazy daisy designs on good quality needle-weave, one 36-inch cloth and four serviettes. Price \$1.25

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Stamped on needleweave, applique stamped in corner to hold folded serviettes, one 36-inch cloth and four serviettes. Price \$1.25

Three-piece Vanity Sets

Of white needleweave, French knot and lazy daisy designs. Price 39¢

Tan Crash Centrepieces

Stamped in neat designs, 18-inch. Price 35¢

Broadcloth Aprons

Stamped with cutting out lines, several good designs for quick working, in blue, mauve, coral, gold and tan. Priced at 75¢

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Excellent quality tubular cotton, edges stamped for scalloping. Per pair \$1.50

Lines Hook Towels

Size 18x27. Easy designs for quick working. Price 85¢

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Stamped on white needleweave; size 18x45. Price 50¢

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Stamped on unbleached cotton, appropriate designs. Price 39¢

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For Making Up Christmas Gifts and Other Purposes

Novelty Ribbon
With picot edge, in shades of mauve, rosewood, reeds, grey, fawn, tan, coral, peach and orange, one-half inch wide. Per yard 10¢

Novelty Tinsel Ribbon

In shade effects of henna, mauve, coral, violet, Nile, brown and reeds, one-half inch wide. Per yard 15¢

Soft Satin Ribbon

In splendid assortment of plain colors, 5 inches wide. Per yard 35¢

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From ¼ to 1½ inches wide. Suitable for making rosettes, flowers and leaves. Per yard 10¢ to 45¢

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In coral and tan, mauve and fawn, sky and fawn, mauve and reeds, turquoise and fawn, gold and brown, flame and grey. Ideal for making novelty bags, powder puff containers, etc. Per yard 49¢

Moire Ribbon

6 inches wide, shown in a wide assortment of wanted shades. Per yard 69¢

Tinsel and Silk Ribbon

In novel block designs. Choice of coral with gold, henna with silver, black with silver. Ideal for making fancy bags. Per yard \$2.50

Penman's Combinations

Heavy weight cotton underwear made specially for Hudson's Bay Company. Short sleeves and knee length. Good serviceable garments for school wear; sizes 22 to 32. Per suit \$1.00

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Elastic ribbed, heavy cotton underwear for boys who cannot wear wool. Made with long sleeves and knee length. Sizes 24 to 40. Price \$1.75

Penman's "95" Underwear

This well known make of underwear is both serviceable and comfortable to wear. Shown in natural shade wool with a slight percentage of cotton, guaranteed unshrinkable. Choice of long sleeves and knee length; sizes 22 to 32. Price, according to size. Per suit at \$1.90 to \$2.90

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Warm and durable all wool combinations guaranteed unshrinkable. Made with short sleeves and knee length; sizes 22 to 32. Per suit \$2.50

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They are shown in single and double-breasted styles with large patch pockets, set-in sleeves and novelty button trimmings. All sizes for women and misses.

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Women's Knitted Pullover Suits for Smart Sports Wear

Knitted in all-wool yarns with fancy jacquard pattern pullover and plain weave skirt; others woven in heavy silk and wool with fancy design on collar, cuffs and hem line. Choose from fawn and Lovat mixtures, also sand, straw, dawn and other plain shades. Sizes 16 to 40. Price \$16.95

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That Will Add Those Finishing Touches to Your Afternoon or Evening Gowns

Ostrich Feather Trimming

In colors of mauve, jade, sky, grey and mastic, also white; 2½ and 3 inches wide. Per yard \$1.00

Rhinestone Trimming

One and three-row styles. Per yard, \$1.00, \$2.95 and \$3.95

Marabou Trimming

In peach, grey, pink, sky and black. Per yard, 35¢, 75¢ and \$1.00

Rosebud Trimming

In self colors of pink, sky, orange, mauve and rose, also two-tone effects and some with metallic thread. Per yard, 15¢, 35¢, 45¢ and 50¢

—Main Floor, H.B.C.

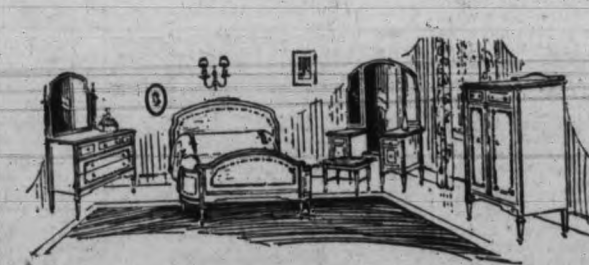
Kenwood Blankets

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Kenwood Blankets, made from virgin wool yarns, in attractive plaid designs of blue and white, rose and white, green and white, lavender and white, tan and white, and in three-tone colors of rose, blue and white; also in self colors of Saxe, rose, tan, green, apricot and lavender. All finished with satin-bound ends; size 60x84. Price, each \$9.75
Size 72x84. Each \$11.25

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10% Down Secures One of These Bedroom Suites

Five-piece Bedroom Suite

In quarter-cut figured gum, very attractive graining and finish. Suite includes dresser, chiffonier, full length vanity dressing table, bow foot bed and cane seat bench. Price, complete \$295.00
\$19.50 cash, balance in nine monthly payments.

Five-piece Bedroom Suite

An exceptionally well made suite, in genuine French walnut, consists of dresser, high boy chiffonier, full length vanity, bow foot bed and cane seat bench. Price, complete \$225.00
\$22.50 cash, balance in nine monthly payments.

Twin Bed Suite

A six-piece suite in French walnut, finest No-Mar finish. Consists of large dresser, chiffonier, full length vanity dressing table, two bow foot beds in 3.3 size, and cane seat bench. Price complete \$265.00
\$26.50 cash, balance in nine monthly payments.

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Continuing Our October Sale of Women's Stylish Footwear

Group 1—Twelve Different Styles All At \$3.95 a Pair

They include one and two-strap models, in black kid and patent leather, with medium and round toe lasts, in styles suitable for house and street wear; brown kid and gun-metal calf one-strap slippers in a variety of new styles, all with Cuban heels; sizes 1 to 7. Sale Price, per pair

\$3.95

Group 2—Ten Different Styles, Sale Price, \$5.45 a Pair

In this group are one-strap and three-eyelid tie shoes, in brown kid, black kid and patent leather; also colonial pumps in black satin and steel Oxfords in black and tan calf. Choice of medium, low and Cuban heels; all sizes, 3 to 7. Sale Price, per pair

\$5.45

Group 3—\$9.00, \$9.50 and \$10.00 Values for \$7.95 a Pair

High Grade Shoes fashioned from the best quality leathers, several different styles to choose from, including Oxfords, straps and cut-out gore effects. Some in two-tone combinations of the very latest kind. Choice of Cuban, Louis and Spanish heels; sizes 4 to 7. Sale Price, per pair

\$7.95

—Main Floor, H.B.C.

See Our Extensive Assortments of New Bedspreads

White Krinklette Bedspreads

Size 62x90. Price, each \$2.25
Size 72x90. Price, each \$2.50

White Marvella Bedspreads

Size 74x95. Price, each \$5.50
Size 77x95. Price, each \$6.50

White Honeycomb Bedspreads

Size 75x96. Price, each \$3.50
Size 77x96. Price, each \$4.50

White Dimity Bedspreads

Light and durable. Size 68x86. Price, each \$2.95
Size 68x104. Price, each \$3.95

Printed Bedspreads

Size 68x86. Price, each \$2.50
Size 70x86. Price, each \$3.75

Rayon Silk Bedspreads

In shades of rose, blue and gold; also white; size 76x84. Price, each \$7.95

—Main Floor, H.B.C.

Tuesday's Drug Bulletin

Nujol 69¢
Scott's Emulsion, large size, \$1.95
Petroleum, (various), 1-lb. tins, for 23¢
Boric Acid Powder, 1-lb. 24¢
Extract of Hops and Malt (no cooking), 75c value 65¢
Malt Extract, approx. 3-lb. size, for 73¢
Hops, 10c size, 3 for 25¢
Hot Water Bottles, best English; specially well made. At \$2.39
Aluminum Hot Water Bottles, Special at \$3.57
Yardley's Shaving Lotion at 75¢ and \$1.25
Genuine Gillette Razors, gold plated in attractive case. At 98¢
Gillette Blades, half size Packets, 39¢ value 19¢
Blade Sharpeners for Gillettes at \$1.49

—Drugs, Main Floor, H.B.C.

Winter Keeping Potatoes

Netted Gems, guaranteed quality from the dry belt. From present indications the purchase of a few sacks for winter keeping should prove a measure of economy. 100-lb. sacks. Special \$2.18

Carmen Potatoes

Selected Carmen Potatoes, mealy and altogether reliable; none better for present use. 100-lb. sacks. Special \$1.58

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MADISON SAILING TO-NIGHT FOR EAST

Admiral Oriental Liner Taking
Big Shipment of Cotton;
Good List of Passengers

Inaugurating her twenty-ninth voyage from the Orient to the West Coast, the Admiral Oriental liner, Capt. Thomas P. Quinn, will sail for Manila, via the regular Japanese and Asiatic calls of this service, this afternoon at 5:30 o'clock. The Madison will arrive here at 4 o'clock from Seattle.

On this occasion the liner will take ninety cabin passengers and 270 travelers in the steerage. Ninety passengers will join the vessel at this port.

Another capacity cargo of freight is being loaded by the Madison, including a large quantity of heavy machinery, harvesting implements and a number of automobiles. The big ship has also aboard a big shipment of cotton, consigned to Japan ports. The refrigerator space of the vessel will be taxed to the limit with Washington-grown green vegetables and fruit.

Among the passengers leaving on the Madison will be: Capt. Jeremiah Enoch, United States Navy, ordered to Manila; Bishop J. J. Berry of New York, also en route to Manila; A. B. Gannon of the Good Year Tire Company; the Rt. Hon. Earl of Gosford, a director of the British-American Tobacco Company; Vernon Thompson, an importer; Tsang Kwong, a prominent Chinese merchant of Hongkong; E. L. Story of the Dintons-Sawyer Company; Miss Gladys Pennington, en route to visit relatives in the Orient; F. W. Lilley and wife, tourists; W. E. D. Smith, a shipping man from New York; Dr. J. Allison, a physician practicing in the Orient; B. Ellinger, an importer; Mrs. Jessie Rupp, the Rev. Joseph Tacconi, H. M. T. Lehmann, J. F. Forbes, and others.

VESSEL MOVEMENTS

Mauretania at Plymouth from New York.
Carnegie at Havre from New York.
Adriatic at New York from Liverpool.

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Albion at Montreal from Glasgow.
Regina at Montreal from Liverpool.
Stockholm at Halifax from Gothenburg.

Ethiopia at Halifax from Copenhagen.
Tacoma—Arrived: Mogul, British Columbia, during night; Sagadahoc, Seattle, 3 a.m.; Alaska, Seattle, 7 a.m.; Edgar Luckenbach, Seattle, 7 a.m.; Glymont, Seattle, 7 a.m.; West-keas, Philadelphia, 10 a.m.

Sailed: Sagadahoc, Baltimore, at noon; Edgar Luckenbach, Seattle, 12:30 p.m.; Alaska, Seattle, 2 p.m.; Glymont, Seattle, 2 p.m.; Tacoma, Seattle, 2 p.m.; Los Angeles, Los Angeles, 10 p.m.; Yokohama, Ryūjin Maru, 1 p.m.; Portland.

Departed: Derby, 5 p.m.; Tacoma, 5:15 a.m.; Portland, 5:15 a.m.; Edgar P. Luckenbach, 4:50 a.m.; Bellingham, 4:15 a.m.; Bellingham, Alaska Standard, 12:30 a.m.; Southern Alaska.

Port Townsend, Wash., Oct. 24—Breakfast, 10:45 a.m.; Port Townsend, Grayherb, Wash., Oct. 24—Departed, Davenport, yesterday, San Francisco; Shasta, yesterday, Los Angeles.

Port Angeles, Wash., Oct. 24—Departed Doylston, yesterday, Los Angeles.

TWO LIVES LOST IN TEXAS OIL FIRE

Ten Persons Injured When
Flames Swept Sour Lake
Field, Near Beaumont

Beaumont, Texas, Oct. 25—Two men were burned to death, ten injured and in hospitals and damage reported to exceed \$500,000, was caused by fire which swept the Sour Lake oil field, twenty-five miles from here, early yesterday.

Fred D. Tuff of Houston, Texas, general superintendent of the Humphrey Oil Corporation and a former chief of the United States Bureau of Mines, and T. Chambliss, a field employee, were burned to death.

Originating from a spark caused by friction in a well, the fire spread over the field with terrific rapidity. Lack of equipment proved a serious handicap to the firefighters.

Chambliss was said to have been on top of a tank beside which he was attempting to close a valve when the tank exploded. The tank had a capacity of 500 barrels.

Two of the injured probably will die. They are Ed Duhon, forty-three, manager of the Texas Oil Company, and J. S. LeLaud, twenty-seven, a crew foreman.

The fire was brought under control late last night.

GAINED 10 POUNDS IN 22 DAYS

That's going some—but skinnier men, women and children just can't help putting on good healthy flesh when they take McCoy's Cod Liver Extract Tablets.

Check full of vitamins—the kind that are extracted from the livers of the cod—the kind that are a real help to frail, rundown, anaemic, skinnier men and women.

Try these cod liver tablets for 30 days—if they don't help greatly get your money back.

One woman gained ten pounds in twenty-two days. Ask Vancouver Drug Co., MacFarlane Drug Co., Owl Drug Co., or any drugstore for McCoy's Cod Liver Extract Tablets. Directions and formula on each box.

"Get McCoy's the original and genuine." (Adv.)

O.S.K. STEAMSHIP HAS BIG PASSAGE

Arizona Maru Arrived Yesterday
24 Hours Late; Heavy
Winds and Seas

Lashed by heavy winds and giant seas on the latter part of her 4,200 mile voyage, the Osaka Shosen steamship Arizona Maru docked at the Outer Wharves yesterday afternoon at 3:15 o'clock, twenty-four hours behind schedule.

Capt. Yamaguchi stated the vessel had experienced fair weather until her approach to this coast. On Friday night the Arizona ran into the teeth of the storm. A drizzling rain combined with a light fog hampered the vessel's progress considerably, the skipper said.

The Arizona brought one of the largest shipments of goods to pass through Victoria this year, for the vessel had aboard 5,162 bales of the raw commodity, and 588 tons of the manufactured product.

The inbound liner had a total of seventy-seven passengers aboard, including six first-class and sixty-one steerage. One cabin and twenty-eight steerage passengers disembarked here, the remainder proceeding to Seattle.

Freight consignments on the vessel included twenty-one tons of rice, charge here, comprising five tons of silk goods and seventeen tons of general cargo.

For Seattle and Tacoma the Arizona had 2,000 tons of mixed Oriental cargo.

One hundred and fifty-seven bags of mail were put off here, including ten sacks for the air mail service.

SPOKEN BY WIRELESS

Oct. 24, 8 p.m.—Shipping:
KAIFUKU MARU, 450 miles from Cape Flattery, inbound for Victoria, 150.38.
HERMON, bound Port Alberni, 870 miles west of Estevan.

GRACE, bound Port Alberni, 870 miles west of Estevan.
ASUKA MARU, Yokohama for Victoria, 1,058 miles from Victoria.
KINKASAN MARU, 1,059 miles from Victoria.

ALASKA STANDARD, Point Wells for Aberdeen, 105 miles from Aberdeen.
HORACE X. BAXTER, Long Beach for Seattle Harbor, 228 miles from Seattle.

MULTONOMAH, San Francisco for Long View, 119 miles from Columbia River.
RUTH ALEXANDER, Victoria for San Francisco, 556 miles from San Francisco.

W.B.A. JUNIORS IN
PRETTY CEREMONY

Queen Victoria Court Held
Public Installation and
Coronation

About 200 parents and friends were entertained at a delightful affair on Friday evening at the Native Sons of Canada Hall, View Street, when Queen Victoria, court of the Order of the Rose, of the Women's Benefit Association, presented the first public installation and coronation of its kind.

Fifty-five pretty children took part and Mrs. Lora Baker of Port Huron, deputy supreme commander, in charge of this district came over from Vancouver and performed the important duty of crowning the queen.

She was introduced by Mrs. Minnie Ritchie, and entertained the children and audience with a short talk and a union of protection and an interesting dream story. Mrs. H. Wall, one of the oldest members of the W.B.A. was also a welcome guest.

The truncheon, heron for the queen's royal party, led by Standard Bearers Edna Graham and Frances Cameron, Pages Bobby Malt and Albert Taylor, Queen-elect Vera Sweet, Maids of Honor Edna Coates and Gertrude Hunt and Train-bearers Sheila McAllister and Gladys Morse.

Queen Victoria then invested their various offices: Chamberlain, Edna Davis; scribe, Margaret Taylor; purse bearer, Ruth Coates, mistress of robes, Pearl Hill; keeper of the door, Clara Chaffert; guardian of the gate, Madeline Walker; gardeners, Opal Day, Marjorie and Kathleen; butlers, inquisitors, Ethelwynne Hill; captain, Hazel DeWitt; lieutenant, Marjorie Morris; guards, Hilda and Marie Graham; Martha Harrison; Sylvia Birmia; June McAllister; Olive Edmunds; Clara Rowbottom and Hilda Thayne.

A pretty and interesting part of the program was given by the following girls who were trained by Mrs. W. Gaskill, principal of the Art Dances School: Flower girls, Lorna Turpel, Thyrn Gies, Barrie Taylor, Christine Schmelz, Helen Todd, Doreen Lally, Helen and Vada May Lawrence; basket dance, Dina Pastro and Barrie Taylor; sailor's hornpipe, Iris Donovan and Helen Beck; tumbler dance and Dutch dance, Dulcie Hamlet; minuet by Margaret Taylor; skirt dance, Alisa Barclay.

Thyrn Edwards, Dina Pastro and Helen Beck and an especially well performed dance, the Naughty Mignottes, by Iris Gaskill and Iris Donovan. Recitations by Dora Curran, Iris Donovan and Helen Beck.

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DELAYED TWELVE HOURS BY HEAVY WEATHER

RAILWAYS PLACE GRAIN EMBARGO ON VANCOUVER

"Stop Loading" Order Issued
By D. C. Coleman, Vice-
President of C.P.R.

Winnipeg, Man., Oct. 25—The railway companies have reluctantly placed a grain embargo against the acceptance of grain shipments for export through the port of Vancouver, it is announced here Saturday.

It is obvious from these figures that with the unloading necessarily retarded by the amount of Alberta grain which requires treatment for insect congestion is in prospect, which at prolonged and accentuated would result in a shortage of equipment at loading points.

According to the best information available owing to extraordinary conditions in connection with shipping there will be but a limited number of vessels in sight for the load of the grain at Vancouver for the next two weeks.

As the situation looks at date the railway companies have approximately 2,000 cars of grain which it is not likely they will be able to release at the coast within the next three weeks.

The railway companies are in conference with the Harbor Board and Merchants' Exchange at Vancouver and other interested parties and will in conjunction with them, work out a system which will ensure that the port facilities will be kept engaged to the fullest extent of their capacity.

U.S. Manager of
Royal Mail Line
Dies in New York

New York, Oct. 25—Lloyd Bowen Sanderson, general manager in the United States of the Royal Mail Steam Packet Company and president of Sanderson and Sons, shipping agent at his home Sunday following a brief illness. Mr. Sanderson was born in 1866, at Oxted, England. A brother is residing in Vancouver, B.C.

\$30,000 LOSS WHEN
SAWMILL BURNED

Sixty Men at Fern Ridge,
East of New Westminster,
Temporarily Idle

New Westminster, Oct. 25—Damage estimated at about \$30,000 was caused by a fire which wiped out the sawmill of the Fern Ridge, twenty miles east of here, last evening.

In addition to the plant, a considerable quantity of lumber was destroyed. Malcolm, Irene Davis, and the company and they will be temporarily out of work.

TRANS-PACIFIC MAILS

October, 1926
China and Japan
President Jefferson—Mails close Oct. 1, 4 p.m.; due at Yokohama Oct. 13, Shanghai Oct. 18, Hongkong Oct. 22, 14, 5 p.m.; due at Yokohama Oct. 25, Shanghai Oct. 29, Hongkong Nov. 1, 14, 5 p.m.; due at Yokohama Nov. 6, Shanghai Nov. 11, Hongkong Nov. 15, 14, 5 p.m.; due at Yokohama Nov. 18, 14, 5 p.m.; due at Yokohama Nov. 21, 14, 5 p.m.; due at Yokohama Nov. 24, 14, 5 p.m.; due at Yokohama Nov. 27, 14, 5 p.m.; due at Yokohama Nov. 30, 14, 5 p.m.

Australia and New Zealand
Makara—Mails close Oct. 4, 4 p.m.; due at Wellington Oct. 25, Sydney Oct. 30, Sydney—Mails close Oct. 9, 4 p.m.; due at Sydney Nov. 2, Auckland—Mails close Oct. 20, 6 p.m.; due at Auckland Nov. 8, Sydney Nov. 14.

Toronto, Oct. 25—The bottling of blood for transfusion purposes, announced last Saturday before the Interstate Medical Association of the United States is declared to have been carried out in Toronto for some time. Early yesterday the life of an acetic victim was saved for the time being at least by an infusion of blood which had been prepared and bottled.

The Toronto General Hospital began this practice after perfecting details and after finding blood from donors in "group I" category would fuse without deterioration for a month if kept on ice.

SS. PRESIDENT JACKSON

Notice to Mariners

British Columbia (214) Strait of Georgia—Fraser River entrance—Position and color of gas buoy to be changed.

Date—Without further notice.
Former notice—No. 71 (188) of 1925.

The temporary black gas buoy formerly maintained on the northeast end of the bar below the end of the Fraser River will be moved to the opposite side of the channel, painted red, and will exhibit an occulting red light.

British Columbia (215) Malaspina Strait—Pender Harbor—Williams Island—Light established.

Former notice—No. 49 (153) of 1925.

Position—On day beacon on the reef flat cable westward of the north end of Williams Island.

Latitude N. 49 deg. 35 min. longitude W. 124 deg. 4 min. 45 sec.

Character—Occulting white acetylene light, automatically occulted at short intervals, shown from a lens lantern.

Elevation—Fifteen feet.
Remarks—Light is unwatched.

TWO VANCOUVER DEATHS

Vancouver, Oct. 25—Called to 406 Union Street here yesterday afternoon, police found the body of Charles Fricker sitting in a chair. Death had resulted from gas asphyxiation, due, it is believed, to a small rubber tube having accidentally become disconnected.

Charles Smith, who resided in a local hotel, collapsed suddenly in Hastings Street East and died before he could be taken to a hospital. Death was due to heart disease, police state.

TIMES SHIPPING CHART

OCEAN VESSELS TO ARRIVE

Steamer	Master	Agent	From	Due
President Jackson	Griffith	Admiral-O.	Orient	Oct. 26
Ankura Maru	Nov. 1	N.Y.K.	Orient	Oct. 27
Arabia Maru	Nov. 1	O.R.K.	Orient	Nov. 1
Kaga Maru	Nov. 4	N.Y.K.	Orient	Nov. 4
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Empress of Russia	Nov. 12	C.P.R.	Orient	Nov. 12
Empress of Canada	Nov. 15	C.P.R.	Orient	Nov. 15

OCEAN VESSELS TO SAIL

Steamer	Master	Agent	For	To Sail
President Madison	Quinn	Admiral-O.	Orient	Oct. 25
Yokohama Maru	Griffith	Admiral-O.	Orient	Oct. 27
President Jackson	Nov. 1	O.R.K.	Orient	Nov. 1
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C.G.M.M. MOVEMENTS

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Canadian Highlander, sailed for United Kingdom, October 11.

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Preparations are now being made by the local Order of Buffaloes to open a lodge on the Canadian-Australian motorship Aorangi when she arrives here from Australasia, December 11.

Grand lodge officers have announced the consecration of the lodge room and the formal opening of the Order of Buffaloes, N. 49 deg. 35 min. longitude W. 124 deg. 4 min. 45 sec.

Character—Occulting white acetylene light, automatically occulted at short intervals, shown from a lens lantern.

Elevation—Fifteen feet.
Remarks—Light is unwatched.

Two special agents of the Canadian Pacific Railway, on a trip of investigation, listened with interest to plans all the fresh fish business now goes through to Seattle, they were told, and a great portion of this business could be diverted to Port Alberni and go to the East over C.P.R. lines if proper facilities were provided for handling it. A cold storage plant and assembly wharf at Port Alberni would provide the company with much additional business and the company would be repaid for their support and backing of these much needed facilities.

Upon arriving here yesterday Capt. Yamaguchi of the O.S.K. liner Arizona Maru reported heavy weather and stated that he had received a wireless message from Capt. John Griffith, of the steamship President Jackson, to the effect that his vessel would not arrive at the William Head quarantine station before darkness to-morrow evening, weather permitting. According to schedule the Jackson was due here early to-morrow morning, but has been held up twelve hours.

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		Ogden's Tobacco Per pkg. 12c

NEWS IN BRIEF

Mrs. F. J. June of this city picked a beautiful bouquet of wild roses near Cordova Bay yesterday afternoon.

A meeting of the Victoria lumbermen's education class will be held in the Victoria High School this evening at 7:30 o'clock. A talk on sawing will be given.

At the weekly Kiwanis luncheon, which will be held at Temple Hall, North Park Street, Tuesday, Lon. H. Griffiths will speak on "Oil and Petroleum," and Thomas Scott will give an address on "Pulp and Paper."

Robert Robson and John Logan, charged with causing a disturbance on Douglas Street last night, were each fined \$5 in the City Police Court by Magistrate Jay this morning. The men had been fighting.

A Taylor was this morning fined \$25 for driving to the common danger and received a yellow license from Magistrate Jay. He pleaded guilty. He was testing his engine out on Yates Street, defendant said.

An address of unusual interest will be given by E. E. Richards to-night at 8 o'clock in the King's Hall, Yates Street. The theme will be "Joseph's Birthright and the British Empire Conference."

The Colfax Rebekah Lodge I.O.O.F. No. 1 will hold a Halloween dance to-morrow night at the L.O.O.F. Hall, Douglas Street. Prizes will be given for the best costume. Refreshments will be served.

The annual meeting of the Women's Progressive Conservative Club will be held on Wednesday next, October 27, at the home of Mrs. J. H. O'Brien, 1115 Oscar Street, Fairfield, when the officers will be elected for the ensuing year.

Victoria Lodge No. 1, I.O.O.F., anticipate a busy season to-night when three candidates are up for initiation into the mysteries of Odd-Fellowship. A cordial invitation is extended to all visiting brothers and members of other city lodges.

A valuable diamond brooch lost at the police hall at the Empress Hotel on Friday night may be returned at any time to the city detective office, and left in care of Chief Detective Harry O'Leary or anyone on duty there.

The C.P.R. Social Club will hold its next invitational dance on Thursday evening at the Empress Hotel, North Park Street, from 8 to 11 o'clock. A fine orchestra has been engaged and a good attendance expected.

The Pavilion irrigation district, along the line of the Pacific Great Eastern Railway, is being reorganized. It was announced at the meeting of the district board to-day after the government had passed the necessary order-in-council. The irrigation system will be extended.

Effective to-day letter mails only will be dispatched from Victoria to Port Alice and Quatsino, on Tuesdays and Thursdays, at 10 o'clock. At present, it is announced by Postmaster Bishop. These mails are routed via Vancouver and Port Hardy.

Ward Seven ratemakers will hold a meeting in Tillicum schoolroom on Thursday evening at 8 o'clock. Reeve Macnicol and Councillor Crouch will address the meeting on the proposed sewerage system between Saanich and Victoria. The chair will be occupied by William Tomes.

A small fire at the new quarters of the Canadian Legion, Courtney Street, required the services of the Victoria Fire Department this afternoon shortly before 2 o'clock. The blaze occurred in a small cupboard on the top floor. Legion officials stated that practically no damage had resulted from the outbreak.

Extensions of from sixty to ninety days were given owners of dilapidated buildings served with notice to repair or remove by the City Council, according to word which reached Rev. Dr. Sippell on Saturday. These will include Rev. Dr. Robert Laide of Toronto, treasurer of the United Church in Canada; Rev. Dr. R. C. Armstrong of Japan; Rev. Dr. H. C. Court of Toronto; Rev. Peter Bryce, Rev. Dr. W. T. Tucker of Africa; Rev. Dr. Dobson of Vancouver, and George A. Warburton, who was for many years president of the Toronto Y.M.C.A.

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HOTEL LOBBY GOSSIP

BIG SHRINE PARTY COMING

Chief hotels of the city are preparing for the influx of Shriner at the end of the week to attend the ceremonial here.

Nile Temple of Seattle and Afrit Temple of Tacoma are coming over to join with Gizeh Temple of Victoria in the functions. Vancouver is sending a patrol, chanters and a considerable representation.

Hotel estimates to-day of the number coming run from 300 to 1,000. The ceremonies here will be under the Supreme and Most Illustrious Potentate, James W. Hudson of Gizeh Temple.

The Earl of Gosford arrived at the Empress Hotel yesterday afternoon. He is on his way from London to China, where he is interested in the tobacco industry. He is sailing from here this afternoon on the President Madison.

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Island Collieries Busy Getting Ready For Heavy Winter Fuel Demands

Production Generally For Nine Months of Year Shows Decrease

Coal production in British Columbia for the nine months of the present year totaled 1,658,678 long tons compared with an output in the corresponding nine months in 1925 of 1,777,965 long tons, a decrease for the present year of 119,287 tons, according to figures compiled by the Department of Mines and issued to-day by Hon. William Sloan, Minister of Mines and Provincial Secretary.

In all the chief coal mining districts, with the exception of the Nicola-Princeton section where a slight increase over 1925 was reported, decreases have been registered in volume of output this year as compared with last year.

ISLAND OUTPUT DROPS

Vancouver Island collieries produced an aggregate of 900,855 tons in the nine months ended September 30 last as against 1,006,369 tons in the corresponding period of 1925, a decrease of 105,514 tons. The East Kootenay district containing the collieries at Coal Creek and Michel, of the Crow's Nest Pass Coal Company, and the Corbin Coal Company's collieries at Corbin, produced 635,026 tons as against 653,752 tons in 1925. The output of the Nicola-Princeton collieries was 125,847 tons compared with 116,898 tons in the nine months period in 1925.

READY FOR WINTER

The advent of the winter season has resulted in speeding up work in some of the island collieries which have been working faster time within the past month or two to prepare for the seasonal demand. A feature of recent developments in the coal trade, too, has been the receipt by the Canadian Collieries (Dunsmuir) Limited, of orders from the Argentine for coal which hitherto has been shipped to the United States. The company's business has been diverted to this coast.

COUNCIL TO DEBATE LEASE OF WILLOWS

B.C. Agricultural Association Favored For the Use of Grounds

Horse Racing Privileges Retained For Disposal by Open Tender

The B.C. Agricultural Association is favored for a lease of the Willows grounds in the draft of an agreement that will be laid before the City Council to-night, following discussion by the public works committee. The city, it is understood, retains to itself the right of making a separate disposal of the horse racing privileges, probably by open tender. After extended sessions of the works committee with the members of the Agricultural Association and others interested in the Willows property, a general policy was reached which will be laid before the council for discussion this evening.

This policy is said to contain a recommendation that the council give a lease of the grounds to the association, and call for tenders for the horse racing privileges, much along the lines of the first report made some weeks ago.

As two members of the council cannot be on hand to-night the proposals may not reach a final vote at this session before the council is also technically before the council is the City Manager By-Law discussion, tabled last week. Whether action will be taken on this to-night is doubtful, for the same reason. An otherwise light agenda is to be laid before the session.

LEFT AUTOMOBILE BY COUNTRYSIDE

Man Faces Charge of Obtaining Car by False Pretences

Douglas Robinson, charged this morning in the city police court with having obtained an automobile by false pretences from the W. Frank Cameron garage on View Street, asked for trial by a higher court when called before Magistrate Jay to-day. J. S. Brandon appeared for the accused.

B. W. Harper, an employee at the Cameron garage, told the court to-day that the man came to him and asserted that the proprietor of the establishment had given him permission to take a car out of the garage. Harper had given his consent with the understanding that the machine should be brought back that evening. It was not returned. The following day, when police had been informed, Detectives Marcus Phipps and William Stark located the missing car near Albert Head. They also located the accused, Robinson.

Both detectives were called to the stand to testify as to the finding of the car. The witnesses said that Harper had told them he could not get the car to run and had left it there to rot. The owner of the car said that he had never given permission to Robinson to have his car, and asserted that the accused had been arrested for the same reason. Robinson was remanded until to-morrow at the request of counsel.

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SIR HENRY BRINGING BRIDE HERE ON TRIP

President of Canadian National to be Here Three Days

Sir Henry Thornton, chairman and president of the Canadian National Railways, will arrive in Victoria on Friday, November 5, and stay here until Monday. Sir Henry is bringing his bride with him, making it a combined honeymoon and railway business trip.

Steps are being taken by local organizations to congratulate Sir Henry and his bride on their marriage. Among the organizations taking a lead in this is the congregation of the First Unitarian Church. Both Sir Henry Thornton and his bride are ardent Unitarians and the holding of special service here for them at the Unitarian Church a week from Sunday is up before the present congregation.

Also with Sir Henry on his trip will be S. J. Hungerford, vice-president in charge of operation. The party left Montreal Saturday night and are now in Northern Ontario. He will reach Saskatoon next Friday, Edmonton Saturday, Jasper Sunday, Kamloops on Tuesday, November 2, and Vancouver on November 5. After his three days in Victoria, Sir Henry will leave for Prince Rupert.

The friends of Mr. Robillard Sr. will be glad to hear he is recovering from his illness, though slowly.

There will be a masquerade dance at the Sooke Hall on Friday, October 29, under the auspices of the women's institute. Mrs. O. Mould's Synopsed Serenaders will supply the music.

A special service will be held at the Presbyterian Church, Harriet Road, on Thursday evening at 8 o'clock, when reports will be given of the great work that is being done by Dr. Charles T. Prince at Seattle. The pastor, Rev. Daniel Walker, will conduct the service.

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TRAFALGAR DAY WAS THEME OF SERMON

Rev. F. A. P. Chadwick Preached to Big Congregation; Boys' Band Played

The anniversary of Trafalgar Day was the inspiration for the fine sermon delivered by Rev. F. A. P. Chadwick at St. John's Church last evening in the presence of a big congregation. The Navy League boys' band was in attendance, and gave a stirring rendition of "The Death of Nelson."

Taking as his text the words from Chapter 16 of the First Book of Kings, "For the King had a sea, a fine navy," the pastor showed its reference to the great navy maintained by King Solomon at the height of his power. The source of the tremendous wealth and prosperity of his people at that time was mainly due to the operations of Solomon's navy in conjunction with that of Hiram, King of Tyre.

Sea power had been the source of an empire's greatness all down through the ages, the preacher said. The most decisive engagements of the world were mostly naval, or else were backed up by naval engagements of decisive character, as for instance Trafalgar which gave the final touch of victory after Waterloo. Great Britain's navy had been developed ever since the days of her victory over the Spanish Armada, and since that time that development was the improvement and increase in the merchant marine. Both had for centuries been developing as if in preparation for the crisis of the great war.

The pastor pointed to the tremendous part played by the navy in conveying and escorting troops from all parts of the world to the battle fronts, and to its glorious traditions upheld in naval engagements during the great war and in previous wars. Once more the Empire was commemorating Trafalgar Day on which Nelson sent up his undying message, whose true signal was "Nelson confides that every man this day will do his duty."

It was the two-fold duty of everyone at the present time, Mr. Chadwick urged, to see that the Gospel was carried over the seas, and to support the work of the Navy League that they might see to it that young men were trained to man the ships and thus save the world.

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An unusually brilliant array of screen players, story and author is the combination that Ray Rockett has put into First National's latest Milton Sills' starring photoplay, "Paradise," which opens to-day at the Capitol Theatre.

The picture has been filmed from an adaptation of Cosmo Hamilton's great novel of the same title, which had a tremendous sale both here and abroad.

Producer Rockett scored a box office knockout when he lined up the cast. Sills has the stellar role. Betty Bronson, one of the screen's biggest favorites, has the featured feminine role.

Noah Beery heads the supporting cast, which includes such players as Kate Price, Charlie Murray, Lloyd Whitlock, Claude King and Ashley Cooper.

The adventuresome story is set in London and the South Seas.

Merrymakers Offer Old English Week At Capitol Theatre

To all who attend the Capitol Theatre this week the Merrymakers will present to them what is termed an old-fashioned week, that is to say, the songs and numbers to be rendered will bring back many memories

AT THE THEATRES

Capitol—"Paradise."
Columbia—"Three Bad Men."
Dominion—"Sparrows."
Coliseum—"Captain Applejack."
Playhouse—"Miss Hook of Holland."
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of days gone by. The songs, dances, and music has been very carefully selected and they promise the public a real treat.

Beautiful Star of First National Here In Playhouse Film

Mary Astor in Sir Philip Gibbs' Story "High Steppers"

At least one movie star in Hollywood owes her nearly education to the "little red schoolhouse on the hill." She is Mary Astor, beautiful First National player, whose latest picture appearance is in "High Steppers" from the novel by Sir Philip Gibbs.

Miss Astor's schoolhouse was on the outskirts of Quincy, Ill. It so happens, however, that the seat of learning wasn't red and it wasn't situated on the top of a hill. In fact, it was white and it nestled in a valley. But the actress is proud of it just the same.

"The years I spent in the little schoolhouse," said Miss Astor, "are among the happiest in my life. I wish I could live them over again. But that is impossible, as the little school has been replaced by a very big school. A few months ago I revisited the old neighborhood. It had undergone many changes. The city was moving into the country. And the dear little schoolhouse was no more."

Miss Astor stated that it saddened her to think that the beautiful tradition of the "little red schoolhouse" was passing. She added that she considered it one of the most attractive features of American country life.

"High Steppers," in which Miss Astor plays opposite Lloyd Hughes, was produced and directed by Edwin Carewe. The cast includes Dolores del Rio, Rita Carewe and Charisma Selynn. All week at the Playhouse.

AT ROYAL THIS WEEK



Elizabeth Bickel, coming to the Royal Victoria with May Valentine's famous light opera company two nights, Thursday and Friday, October 28 and 29, in "The Bohemian Girl." Miss Bickel will portray the role of "Queen of the Gypsies" and her marvelous contralto voice will be heard as well.

STARS AT CAPITOL



MILTON SILLS

Pupils of School of Expression in Fine Programme

The pupils of the Victoria School of Expression gave a very enjoyable studio programme Friday evening at the Hollywood Presbyterian Mission, Wildwood Avenue. Miss Evelyn Valentine played an introductory piano solo. Capt. Ord, who acted as chairman, apologized for the absence of Mrs. Wilfrid Ord, who was prevented by illness from being present. He drew attention to the fact that this was the first of a series of informal recitals which Mrs. Ord hoped to arrange every month.

Two recitations followed. Lucy Shan giving, "Wonderful World" and James McKim's "Old Aunt Mary." Patty May and Betty Sledge played a charming duet for piano and violin. The next item was a group of three short unaccompanied songs by the choir.

The Misses Vera Bickel and Agnes McCann delighted the company with a very cleverly played sketch entitled "Polly, Put the Kettle On." Mollie Graham, a silver medalist, recited "Orphan Anne," with strong dramatic feeling. Next came "The Indian Love Song" from "Rosemarie," exquisitely rendered by Evelyn Valentine, also a silver medalist. Miss Rita Ormiston very kindly accompanied this number.

The last item was a recitation by Capt. Ord, "Chairman—Have Known," an extract from Stephen Leacock's "My Discovery of England," which was greatly appreciated. The recital closed with "God Save the King" and a collection for the Hollywood Mission for the use of the hall.

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Romance, Mystery and Comedy Feature Coliseum Production

"Captain Applejack" Recalls Notorious John Silver of Stevenson's "Treasure Island"

Something novel in Coliseum entertainment is being offered this week by the management of the popular Government Street playhouse in "Captain Applejack," a play in three acts combining adventure, romance, mystery and comedy. A play with a powerful appeal to young and old alike, recalling as it will the days when the notorious silver of Treasure Island fame, Captain Kidd and other blood-thirsty rascals held for us a tremendous fascination.

The play contains a really wonderful story, far too good to detail and probably spoil the surprise of a startling nature, which this production contains both in scenery and effect.

In the first act Geo. Olsen in the title role is a mild-mannered young man eminently respectable and of very set habits, but as the play unfolds one finds him in the role of pirate chief, an exact antithesis of his former self. The real swash-buckling, rascally cut-throat in this production, however, is a part taken by Frank Allwood, a role reminiscent of skull and cross-bones, walking

the plank and many other memorabilia of by-gone days.
The full Coliseum cast will take part in this unique and fascinating production.
Realizing the difficulty some parents and children have in attending the evening performance, the Coliseum management has arranged for a special matinee next Saturday afternoon.

Garden of Native Plants in Beacon Hill is Objective

With a native plant garden in Beacon Hill Park as its objective the Victoria and District Gardeners' Association has called a public meeting for next Friday evening at 8 o'clock in the Chamber of Commerce auditorium to discuss plans for its development.

The proposal has already received the endorsement of the City Council, and several eminent botanists such as Dr. A. W. Hill, of Kew Gardens, London, who recently spoke in the city, and Mr. Chittenden, director of the Royal Horticultural Society, have stated that Beacon Hill offers unrivalled facilities for the creation of a botanical garden.
Several service clubs and public organizations have given the project support and have promised to send delegates to the meeting. His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor has also expressed his approval of the proposal to establish such a garden.

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More Rain Showers Due For Prairies

Winnipeg, Oct. 25. — Canadian weather report this morning shows Saskatoon, clear, 40 above, no rain; Regina, clear, 40, light rain, last night; Moose Jaw, clear, 44; Calgary, clear, 45, showers Sunday morning; Edmonton, clear, calm, 45, local showers over the week-end. The weather through Canada generally is cloudy with a few scattered showers or snow flurries. Both railroads have embargoed Vancouver owing mostly to lack of ocean tonnage at that port.

The forecast shows: Manitoba and Saskatchewan, mild and showery to-day and Tuesday; Alberta, westerly winds, mostly fair to-day and Tuesday, not much change in temperatures.

MARY PICKFORD COMES IN ROLICKING JUVENILE ROLE

Famous Star Will Be Seen at Dominion in "Sparrows," Claimed to Be Her Greatest Picture

Mary Pickford, the famous little star, whose screen masterpieces have delighted millions throughout the world, has produced another great picture—which has been called her greatest, which will show at the Dominion Theatre this week.

Her newest picture is "Sparrows." It deals with the adventures of a band of youngsters on a baby farm. While there is a little message in the picture, as there is in all good pictures, "Sparrows" first of all is entertainment, and the sort of entertainment that Mary Pickford fans like.

Mary is cast as "Mama Mollie," the little girl who mothers the forlorn children on the baby farm. She pilots them through many adventures, providing much laughter, many thrills and not a few tears.

That is Miss Pickford's unflinching recipe for an evening's entertainment and in "Sparrows" she is said to have one of the best pictures she has ever made.

The locale of "Sparrows" is in a swamp country of a southern state. Here on an island farm the little scraps of humanity are kept by a cruel keeper and his wife. How they finally overcome the obstacles placed in their path and find their way to a happier life makes up a story as thrilling and as interesting as can be imagined.

Plenty of comedy lightens the more drab consequences and there is a happy ending to the opening scenes to the final fade out.

Cast as the ragged little girl, "Mollie," Miss Pickford finds a role that is ideal for her talents. She manages the tots with a skilled hand, and outwits the cruel-keeper who thinks more of his pigs than the little children.

Miss Pickford is supported by a splendid cast, including one of the most remarkable bands of little children ever assembled in a picture.

"Sparrows" is a United Artists Corporation release.

Sidney

Sidney, Oct. 22.—The Sidney Social Club held their regular weekly card party on Wednesday evening in Berquist Hall, military five hundred were played at six tables. The winners of the prizes were Mrs. Crossley, Miss Iris Hearn and Messrs. S. MacDonald and "Harry" the happy hostesses were Mrs. Peck and Mrs. Lidgate. The final arrangements for the old-time dance on Friday, October 23 were made.

Mrs. J. Gilman, of Second Street, entertained at the tea hour on Thursday afternoon in honor of Mrs. M. Adam of Cadomin, Alberta, who is staying here for her son's wedding next week. Mrs. Gilman, assisted by her daughter, Miss Dorothy Gilman, served a delicious tea. Those present were Mrs. McAdam, Mrs. Harvey, Mrs. King, Mrs. Pratt, Mrs. Crossley, Mrs. McKay, Mrs. McKillican and Mrs. Haywood.

Mr. and Mrs. Whiting of Sixth Street celebrated the twenty-fifth anniversary of their wedding on Tuesday. They were married on October 15, 1901, at Christ Church, Bridlington, Yorkshire, England. Seventeen relations and immediate friends sat down to a chicken dinner in honor of the silver wedding. The evening was spent in music and games. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. A. Thompson, Miss F. Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. P. Hooten and Master Hugh Hooten, all of Victoria; Mr. H. Hooten of Stewart; Mr. D. Steven of Victoria; Mr. Harry Hooten Sr.; Mr. and Mrs. McAdams of Cadomin, Alberta; Mr. W. McAdam and the Misses Edith and Phyllis Whiting.

A very enjoyable dance was held in Berquist Hall on Thursday evening to commemorate Trafalgar Day, under the auspices of the North Saanich Social Club. One hundred and seventy people were present. The hall was decorated in flags and bunting. The stage had been done to represent the sea with a miniature H.M.S. Victory on it. Kinloch's orchestra supplied the music. During the evening Major Layard, president of the Deep Cove branch of the Navy League of Canada, spoke on the importance of the historical event of Trafalgar Day. The supper table was prettily decorated with carnations and was served by Mrs. Speedie, Miss Jea Speedie and Mrs. B. Readings and the club orchestra played the supper extra. Mr. Carter took the money at the door and Mr. L. Ricketts acted as floor manager. Captain Wilson announced that the club's next dance would be held on St. Patrick's Day, March 17.

A very pretty surprise miscellaneous shower was given in Matthews' Hall on Friday evening by Mrs. Harrison, Mrs. Mitchell, Mrs. Le Vack, Mrs. Mounce and Mrs. McIntyre for Miss Winnifred Patt, who is to be married shortly. The hall was prettily decorated with chrysanthemums and dillies. The large table at the end of the hall, at which coffee was poured, was decorated with pink chrysanthemums and pink frilled paper at the edge of the white centrepiece and a large bow of pink tulle twisted amongst the flowers. Mrs. Patt and Mrs. G. A. Cochran poured the coffee. The presents were presented to the bride-to-be by Miss Grace Simister, who was dressed as a farmer.

A happy evening was spent in music and a social time. Among those present were Messdames Fatt of Victoria, J. J. White, A. L. Wilson, E. McKenzie, G. Cochran, C. C. Cochran, Rodkin, Goddard, Warrander, Cliff, Home-wood, J. T. Taylor, Ellis, Whiting, Wassner, Matthews, Simister, Shade, Ward, Harvey, Sloan, Holland, McKillican, Critcheley, A. Critchey, Sam Brethour, Armstrong, Parker, Stanley Brethour, McNaught, Rankin, Burton, McAuley, H. Harrison, Roy, Brethour, H. Horth, McIntyre, Mounce, T. Harrison, Mitchell, H. Thornley, Haiseth, Barlow, Hughes, Livesey, Manning, Gilman, Lind, Williamson, Anderson, McNeil, McKay and the Misses Winnifred Fatt, Rose Matthews, Katie Lorenzen, Edith Whiting, Patti Simister, Lizzie Brethour, Enos, Iris Goddard, Grace Simister, Lander, Annie Lorenzen, Isabel Joyce, M. Enos, Margaret Cochran, Margaret Simister, Phyllis Whiting, Maggie Anderson, Amy Livesey and Nancy Simister.

Mrs. Hammond and children of Bazen Bay are spending a few days

in Victoria with her mother, Mrs. Aldridge, of James Bay.

Mr. and Mrs. Velch of Port Townsend are staying with their daughter, Mrs. Hambley.

Miss W. Fatt of Victoria is staying with Mr. and Mrs. McIntyre.

George Crooks of North Cross Road, has returned home after spending the last two months on the prairies.

Mrs. Perry of Victoria, who has been spending a week with Miss Little Heathwaite of Deep Bay, has left for the mainland.

Miss Alma McIlmoyle of Centre Road is staying with her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Hewitt, of Victoria.

H. Hooten of Stewart is staying with his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Whiting, Sixth Street.

W. Hawkes of Saanichton has come to live here.

Smith Barker has returned home after spending two months on the prairies.

Mrs. Quartermaine of Downey Road has gone to Vancouver for a few days.

Mrs. Horth has returned to her home at Deep Bay after a visit to her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Vigaluis, of Seattle.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Cochran of Roberts Point have returned home after a motor trip to San Jacinto, where they left their son, Charles Cochran, who will spend the winter there. On their way home they stopped at Los Angeles, San Francisco, Portland, Seattle and Everett.

Miss Ravenhill of Victoria was a recent visitor to friends at Patricia Bay.

Miss Muriel Cessford of Meadlands has returned home after spending a week in Victoria.

Miss E. Hawkins, who has been staying with Mr. and Mrs. Pope of Patricia Bay has returned to her home in New Westminster.

Miss M. Reid of Winnipeg, who has been staying with Mr. and Mrs. McIntyre, Third Street, has left for Vancouver.

Miss E. Gilman of Port Angeles has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Gilman, of Second Street.

Mrs. A. White and small daughter of Victoria are staying with Mr. and Mrs. F. Smith of "The Orchards."

Blood is Bottled For Transfusions

Montreal, Oct. 25.—The Montreal Gazette carried a Quebec dispatch this morning stating:

"January 11 is mentioned here as the date tentatively set for the opening of the session of the Legislature of Quebec, with the official announcement expected to be made next month shortly before the return of Premier Taschereau from Great Britain."

"It is understood the Taschereau Government will go to the people in May or June next."

MARY PICKFORD IN "SPARROWS" AT THE DOMINION THEATRE



MOVIE ACTORS FIND IT HARD TO TRAVEL PACE OF MORE FORTUNATE STARS

By DAN THOMAS

Hollywood, Oct. 25.—There is a certain small group of celluloid players in heart-break village who need to be consoled every Saturday night when they draw their pay cheques. And they are stars, too.

These actors and actresses are drawing from \$75 to \$200 a week and on this paltry sum must try to live on the same scale as others of a like screen rating who are making from \$1,000 to \$5,000 a week. They are young stars—these of whom I speak—who only during the past year or two years have started to emit their dazzling glow from the cinema heavens.

On the producers' justly rests the blame for their predicament. The money wizards, experienced in the art of picking "comers," saw the possibilities in these "hatching" celebrities. Immediately they signed the youngsters—who lacked any kind of business experience—to five-year contracts for what seemed at that time immense salaries.

Then these boys and girls were catapulted into stardom almost overnight. Their names became big box-office attractions and brought thousands of dollars into the coffers of their bosses.

The rise to stardom naturally carries with it increased demands upon the actor or actress. But they are under contract—this group—and the tight-fistedness of their producers

prohibits them from association in the circles where they belong.

Every movie company has its own musicians—usually three—whose duty it is to keep the players in the right mood while they are before the camera. The other day a company was shooting some scenes on the boulevard. During the lunch hour the orchestra was sitting on the curb playing some old selections. The concert came to an abrupt end when an old lady stopped and gave them a quarter.

Looking back into the past of our silver screen "heroes," I find that Rod La Rocque was once a member of the famous Newsboys' Quartet in Chicago.

Cinema persons are in the habit of enjoying every luxury possible while on "location" trips. It has become a custom in Finland. But once a production manager came along who decided he would change the habits of his company.

The Thomas Meighan company went to San Diego for a week-end of "shooting." As their steamer tied up at San Diego pier the production manager stationed himself at the gang plank with a sack of nickels and gave one to each member of the cast as they disembarked. "For street car fare to the hotel," he explained. The following day an ex-

production manager was back in Hollywood looking for a job.

Almost every person in the cinema colony attempts to claim some sort of distinction. To-day it is Miss Dupont, who claims to be the only film player without a first name.

Eighteen years ago Edwin Carewe played the principal male role in the stage presentation of Count Leo Tolstoy's "Resurrection." Now he is directing the film version of the story for Inspiration Pictures.

An article in a Chicago newspaper spoke of John Barrymore's splendid support of the whale in "The Sea Beast." That's the fifth animal for which I have been used as the supporting cast," was Barrymore's comment as he read the story. And it was only a wooden whale at that.

When Famous Players-Lasky bought the United Studios, they refused to include in the purchase a large vacant lot between the studio and Melrose Avenue. Whether for spite or not, M. C. Levy, president of the United Studios, has started to erect a large apartment building directly in front of the expensive new entrance built by Lasky.

Harry Carey was set to join the rest of make-believe town's Philadelphia-bound delegation aboard their special fight train when his wife flatly told him "nothing doing." "Why don't you go out to the Associated Studios and watch Peggy Joyce and Pat Powers? It will be cheaper," she said.

"It was cheaper for me, but I don't know about Pat," says Carey.

TIP TO PLANNERS

When building a house, or when remodeling the interior, remember to allow plenty of space for sink and table room. This saves breakage and lightens labor generally.

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Automobile Accident Caused Two Deaths

Calgary, Oct. 25.—Two men lost their lives, one man is seriously injured and two men are in the custody of the Alberta provincial police as a result of a double motorcar accident involving three cars near Beiseker, Alberta, early Saturday night. Two cars collided, August Angerman of Burdall, Sask., being injured so severely he died at Beiseker this morning. A third car a moment later, traveling at a rate alleged to be over thirty miles an hour, crashed into the other two, hurling Isaac Yacower, also of Burdall, twenty feet and killing him instantly.

The injured man is Leonard Davidson of Beumsecum, N.S., who escaped death by a miracle. All three were arresters. Wilbur Bereth, residing near Beiseker, is in custody as a material

witness, as is C. Eslinger of Beiseker, both farmers.



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GOLF, FOOTBALL

Esquimalt Win Over Wests, And Take Lead

Esquimalt took a two-point lead in the First Division Soccer League on Saturday by knocking the fight out of the Wests by five goals to one, while the Saanich Thistles found themselves too

finds the dockers in the lead with four wins and a loss for eight points, and the Thistles with three wins and two losses for six points. James Island and the Wests have four and two points respectively.

F. Jeffrey Winner

Cup Competition

Leads R. Foulis by Four Strokes at End of 72 Holes:

Morrison Wins Gross Score

The final thirty-six holes in the Uplands Cup competition was played at the Uplands yesterday. The result was a win for F. Jeffrey, who had beaten one of the leaders all the way. The end of the first thirty-six holes found R. Foulis leading by two strokes. At noon yesterday, fifty-four holes, Jeffrey was leading Foulis by five strokes. On the last eighteen holes, Foulis gained one stroke which left Jeffrey the winner by four strokes.

Considerable interest was taken in the best gross score. At the end of the fifty-four holes the following were tied at 125: V. P. Jones, J. H. Widdens and R. Morrison. The latter gained three strokes on the other two in the

about half-way through the match. Thistles' goalie from the centre.

MISSED CHANCES

The Spanish youths played hard with the two-goal debit, and, shooting down hill kept the play near their opponents' goal. Several close opportunities to score were missed. Finally, Thistles netted the Thistles' first counter. Burns hooked on to the leather after a miscalc by "Scotty" Downs and booted it between the uprights. The Thistles fighting hard was missed by the Thistles as the whistle blew for the interval.

The second half, although scoreless was not in the least dull. The Thistles continued on the aggressive and tried to kick and rush tactics to drive the ball up the field. Jamie Island backs, however, were usually there to intercept the plays and

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F. Jeffrey	324	56	268
R. Foulis	336	64	272
R. Morrison	338	40	277
F. H. Hanbury	362	82	284
J. Savident	320	40	280
A. Craig Jr.	369	88	281
S. B. Peele	371	88	283
L. Glaxan	341	56	285
J. R. Hibberson ..	350	64	286
Dr. C. N. Westcott ..	375	88	286
C. C. DeBoough ..	352	96	256
S. C. Terrie	384	96	288
W. L. Woodhouse ..	387	96	291
A. V. Price	323	32	291
A. Shert	356	64	292

J. B. Lambert	372	80	232	Southern, Shaville and Bissell.
G. Preddy	370	80	232	Saanich Thistle and Victoria
D. A. Macdonald	368	96	234	and Fred Cameron, Crowe
A. R. Sample	374	80	234	Miller; Campbell, Minnis, Burn
F. A. MacDonald	396	96	294	Thomas and Kelman.
A. E. James	375	80	295	
F. L. Leslie	376	80	295	ESQUIMALT WINS
W. P. Unsworth	391	96	295	Esquimalt sent the Wests down
S. J. Halls	363	64	301	defeat by a score of 5-1 at Beacon
W. P. Unsworth	364	64	301	Hill Park.
A. C. Falk	349	48	301	Esquimalt scored the only goal be
J. H. Caldwell	342	32	302	fore half time.
H. D. Drynolfson	345	40	305	The first half opened with bot
D. M. Gordon	369	80	309	teams on the offensive. The West
Three cards were not returned.				forward line had a great deal of ha
				and the dockers' goal mouth, and missed several opportu
				nities to score. Stewart, playing rig

Weston Relinquish

**Lacrosse Title But
Want to Keep Cup**

Weston, Ont., Oct. 25.—Running

plons to the form displayed by the winners of the contest this year, the triumphs of the senior Ontario Amateur Lacrosse Association for four successive years, and winners of the Canadian championship from Winnipeg. Last Summer, relinquishing their hold on both these titles were on Saturday, when they were unable to overcome a six-goal lead, secured by Brampton in the first game of the play-off series.

Wednesday's returned winners of the senior's contest by four goals to two, but this victory still left the

leather through the net at a fast clip for the Wests' only counter-attack. The senior's goalkeepers had two goals in quick succession, John Watt also tallied, giving the Dockers a wide margin.

The teams were:

Wests — Holman; Whyte and Whyte; MacIsaac, Hume and Hume; Connorton, Quainon, Peck and Mulcahy and Popham.

Equimait-Bridges; J. Watt; A. Meeher; Hosmer, Hargay and DeCosta; Wagland, Warzen, Coulter, John

Toronto, Oct. 25.—Although dethroned from the senior Ontario

Amateur Lacrosse championship by the Western players and officials claim that they will not part with the Canadian lacrosse championship until next August. This date, they claim, was agreed to by the players of the Canadian Amateur Lacrosse Association.

Tramption claim, however, that the agreement reached by them in their place in the league standing.

There was even in the first half, a score stood 1-1 at the interval. Oliver handed the whistle, and the team.

Five C's—MacDonald, N. Mar and Taylor; Charlton, E. Viggier, C. Collins, C. Butts, C. Esler, C. Collins, F. Groves and Viggier.

early in the season, should be transferred to them immediately. Officials of the association probably will be asked for a ruling.

ELECT OFFICERS

At the annual meeting of the Cedar Hill Tennis Club the following officers were appointed for the coming year: Honorary president, Charles E. King; vice-president, Mr. Henshaw; secretary, Al Merritt; treasurer, Cyrus T. Bell. The members elected by ballot were: President, Mr. Bell, Mr. Henshaw and Mrs. Sanders, was appointed to revise the rules and regulations of the club. The committee consisted of Miss F. McDougal and Mrs. Sanders; the tournament committee,

and Messrs. Clark, Bell and Sanders. Latta and McInnes.

A SERIAL STORY

"The Unwilling Adventuress"

By MILDRED BARBOUR

It gave him the shock of his life to discover that he was not filled with wild, unreasoning joy at the news. It shook his belief in himself to the very foundations. He felt an utter cad and rotter. He felt like the ficklest boulder imaginable.

Of course he was still in love with Camilla, he reasoned. Not so long ago he would have laid down his life for her. He couldn't have gotten over it so soon. Of, if he had, then he was the most disgusting scoundrel alive; then, he was, at heart, what he had feared people would mistake him for at the time of the elopement that didn't come off—a philanderer and trifle.

He brushed a silk handkerchief over his brow, suddenly moist and troubled.

Of course he was still crazy about Camilla—only she had hurt his pride terribly when she had thrown him down at the last minute when he'd been ready to sacrifice his whole future for her. And perhaps, she'd shown herself to be a little more calculating with regard to the happiness and safety of Camilla than he had expected of her.

Then, too, hadn't Doris said that Henry Fielding was a devoted and faithful husband. Was that compatible with Camilla's insinuations about his brutality—his neglect—the black bruises that had proved the last straw. And Doris didn't lie.

Hartley discovered suddenly that his promise to Camilla did. He groaned in spirit over his disloyalty to the lady who had reigned all those months in his heart.

He heard Doris speaking and brought himself to earth with a certain relief. "Positioning—further thought over his perplexing problem.

"I beg your pardon?"

"I was saying," repeated Doris, "that I won't have to bother you any longer. These lawyers people, say that their representative here in Paris will arrange everything for me, and I'll have the money right away to draw on. So I'll just go to the address they've given me and get it over with as soon as possible."

She took a sip or two of her coffee, brushed her fingers daintily with a wisp of chiffon kerchief, and drew on her gloves.

Then she rose and held out her hand frankly to Hartley.

"I'll run along now. I'll find the way. You've been awfully kind to me, really, and I'm very grateful and also very sorry that I caused you so much unpleasantness. Good-bye."

Before he could gather his astounded faculties to protest, she had drifted away in early purple twilight of the boulevard.

CHAPTER XXXVI

The Paris representative of the New York lawyers who had charge of the late Henry Fielding's estate, proved a charming person and immediately took Doris under his wing.

He did not ask her embarrassing questions about where she had been all these months and why she had not communicated with her cousin prior to his death. He arranged her financial affairs for her expeditiously, and then abandoning the professional, took a personal interest in his pretty client.

Through his kind offices, she secured a charming, little apartment, delightfully furnished, opposite the Luxembourg Gardens—a tiny place, but one provided with the kitchenette as she insisted. It was only a step through one of the gigantic gateways into that lovely, green maze which surrounds the old Luxembourg Palace.

The lawyer insisted that Doris should not live alone and he produced an energetic little French woman who served as half companion, half maid. She seemed to have endless relatives in and around Paris to visit in her leisure hours, so her presence was never irksome to Doris.

There was the problem of a voice teacher and the lawyer solved in the twinkling of an eye, and almost before she knew it, Doris was settled in Paris, and found herself going to and fro through its lovely streets and boulevards, a music case tucked under her arm, quite as if she had never done anything else in all her life.

The lawyer—Mr. Harper—was his name—then undertook to provide her with suitable social life. For a time—a very brief time—he was the only caller in the little drawing-room overlooking the Luxembourg Gardens. But, as Doris herself had said, she made friends easily and soon she had another little group of pleasant people like the Riviera crowd. Her new acquaintances were mainly students like herself, with a sprinkling of writers, artists, musicians who had already "arrived."

She went to gay, little Bohemian suppers at studios in the Latin Quarter. She had glimpses of the cafes frequented by students in the Montmartre district. She attended concerts—dutifully it must be admitted—and went to art exhibitions.

Her adaptability amazed even herself.

She speedily forgot the idle days of play on the lovely Riviera. She forgot Hartley's family, Camilla and the life in New York. But she remembered Drayburg, Iowa, and when finally she wrote to her Aunt Elsie, she received a reply which contained no reference to her rather vague explanations of her long silence, but urged her to study hard and become worthy of her late cousin's legacy and trust.

As for Hartley himself, he was having a time of it!

When Doris had walked away and left him with such a brief good-bye that day in the cafe, he had been so furious with her that he had flung away in the opposite direction declaring that he hoped he'd never see her again.

After all he'd suffered at her hands,

after he'd had to lie and cheat and deceive his family to save the situation just because she'd been stupid enough not to get off a boat when it was sailing for Europe—after all that, she'd walked calmly off and left him gaping like a fool! She'd actually dismissed him, just as if he were a tiresome lackey that she'd had to put up with until she could better herself.

He was violently angry for all of twenty-four hours. The second day he shrugged and told himself that he was to be congratulated. At last he'd got rid of the little pest who'd been a bar to his freedom. She could go and jump off the Eiffel Tower, or get run over by a Paris taxicab for all he cared.

On the third day, he decided that while he didn't give a darn, he supposed it was only decent to see that nothing terrible happened to the little idiot. She was stupid enough to get into any sort of a mess.

So he wrote a letter to her and addressed it to the American Express. When no answer came, he wrote another—and another. Dropping around to the office one day with an inquiry, he found that the letters remained uncalled for.

He was baffled for a long time. If Paris isn't quite the largest city in the world, it's still extensive and bewildering enough not to be able to place your finger on a girl who has deliberately lost herself. He tried sitting in front of the Cafe de la Paix at 5 o'clock on the old theory that if you stay there long enough, the person you desire to see will pass.

After a few days he gave it up and, dismaying as the prospect was, he set out to interview the lawyers who handled Doris' affairs. He didn't know the name of the firm but he kept on doggedly and eventually met with success.

Only his unquestionably respectable appearance led Mr. Harper to reveal to him the whereabouts of his pretty client.

At 5 o'clock that afternoon, Hartley, weary, astringent, but determined, presented himself at the tiny apartment opposite the Luxembourg. A bright-eyed little French woman answered his ring and regarded him pleasantly. "And who shall I say is calling?"

"Tell her—her husband!" he answered, on sudden impulse, taking malicious delight in the little woman's gasp of astonishment.

BEDTIME STORY

Uncle Wiggily's Honey Cakes

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By HOWARD R. GARIS

"And we can have honey cakes for lunch," said Baby Bunty.

"Huh! What's that? Honey cakes for lunch? What do you mean?" asked Uncle Wiggily suddenly sitting up straight in the easy chair and looking at the little rabbit girl.

"Oh, Uncle Wiggily!" laughed Baby Bunty, clapping her paws. "I believe you have been asleep! You didn't hear a thing I have been telling you, did you?"

"Well," slowly answered Mr. Longears, with a funny little smile, "just now I heard you say something about honey cakes, but I don't know what it all means."

"I knew it! I could have told you that!" exclaimed the laughing little orphan rabbit child, who was visiting Mr. and Mrs. Longears in the hollow stump-bungalow. "Dear me! I should have waited!" and she closed her eyes resigned like an angel.

"What's it all about?" begged Uncle Wiggily.

"Why," explained Bunty, "I was telling you how nice it would be if you took me on a picnic to the woods and we looked for an adventure, and then I said we could have honey cakes."

"Hurry!" cried Bunty, clapping her paws again. "And what about the honey cakes?"

"I can find any well take them," promised Mr. Longears. "But as my wife is away, and as Nurse Jane Fuzzly Wuzzly doesn't like me anymore, I'll go with you and we'll buy some honey cakes."

But when Mr. Longears and Bunty went to the store the poodle dog gentleman who kept it, barked:

"I have no honey cakes, but I have some sugar cookies."

"Will they do, Bunty?" asked Uncle Wiggily.

Bunty thought for a moment and answered:

"We can take some sugar cookies and go to the woods to look for a hol-

low tree where some wild bees have their nest. Wild bees store honey in a hollow tree. They will give us some of their sweets, and if we put some of it between two sugar cookies that will make a honey cake. Hurray! Hurray! Hurray!"

"I always said Bunty was smart!" laughed Uncle Wiggily. "We will take some of your sugar cookies, Mr. Poodle!"

With the cookies in a bag, Uncle Wiggily and Baby Bunty hopped to the woods and they were not long in finding a hollow tree where the bees were storing away the last of the Fall honey.

"Take as much as you like of our

sweets," invited the Queen Bee, and soon Uncle Wiggily and Baby Bunty had spread enough of the flower juice between sugar cookies to make a number of honey cakes. These honey cakes they put down on a clean, mossy log in a row: two, six, eight honey cakes.

"We won't eat them right away," said Bunty. "It's so much nicer to think how good they are going to taste. It makes the fun last longer. Let's go look for an adventure, and when we come back we will eat our honey cakes!"

So the two bunnies hopped off into the woods, but no adventure could they find. Though when they got

back to the mossy log an adventure was waiting for them, and it was far from a pleasant one. For all the honey cakes were gone! Yes, sir, every one!

"Oh, who took them?" cried Bunty. And just then, up in a tree, sounded a queer noise. Uncle Wiggily looked and there he saw a saucy Blue Jay bird whose beak was so stuck together that he couldn't open it to cry, "fish hook!" which is his favorite word.

"Ha! That Jay took our honey cakes!" said Uncle Wiggily. "I can see honey sticking on his bill! He's all stuck up!" And so the bird was. Down he flew to a Spring of water,

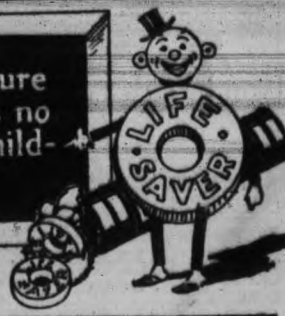
and when he had washed his beak the sticky stuff came off and he could speak.

"I only ate one of your honey cakes," he said. "The others I have hidden under the leaves. I didn't know they were so sticky or I wouldn't have taken them. Here, take the rest!" And he showed where the other cakes were hidden, so the two bunnies had enough to eat, and away flew the Blue Jay.

"Well, anyhow, we had an adventure," laughed Bunty, and Mr. Longears said the same. And if the roller skate doesn't play tag with the codfish ball, I'll tell you next about Uncle Wiggily, and the last leaf.

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8.30 p.m.—Canadian National Railway programme by the Acadian String Quartette.

CFQC (411) Vancouver, B.C.
8.30 p.m.—Address by George Murray.

CFDC (411) Vancouver, B.C.
4.30-5.30 p.m.—Georgian Trio.
6.10-6.15 p.m.—Time signals.
6.30-7.30 p.m.—Player-program.

CFJC (281) Vancouver, B.C.
10-11 p.m.—Dance music from Cabaret with intermission soloists.

KFOA (454.5) Seattle, Wash.
4.30-5 p.m.—The Times "Afternoon" at Home, local and foreign news, weather report.

CFBC (411) Vancouver, B.C.
8.30 p.m.—Sports review.
8.45-9.15 p.m.—KFOA Radio Movie Club.

CFBC (411) Vancouver, B.C.
7.15-7.45 p.m.—Waldo Sanitorium String Trio.

CFBC (411) Vancouver, B.C.
7.45-8.15 p.m.—Raymond David Holmes.

CFBC (411) Vancouver, B.C.
8.15-8.30 p.m.—Industrial news by Manufacturers' Association of Washington, weather report.

KFON (232.4) Long Beach, Cal.
5-6 p.m.—KFON Concert Orchestra.

CFBC (411) Vancouver, B.C.
8.30 p.m.—KFON Concert Orchestra.

CFBC (411) Vancouver, B.C.
8.30 p.m.—Studio programme.

CFBC (411) Vancouver, B.C.
8.30 p.m.—Pacific Land Co.'s Travelogue.

CFBC (411) Vancouver, B.C.
9.10-11 p.m.—"Alders Club."

KFWB (232) Hollywood, Cal.
8 p.m.—Pontiac Six Trio.

CFBC (411) Vancouver, B.C.
8.10 p.m.—Sealy Mattress Orchestra and assisting artists.

CFBC (411) Vancouver, B.C.
8.10 p.m.—Edward Novis, haritone; Ann Grey, blues; Art Pabst and his band.

BRITISH COLUMBIA
In the Matter of the Estate of Emma Jane Spalding, Deceased, and In the Matter of the "Administration Act."

Notice is hereby given that under an Order granted by the Honorable Mr. Justice Murphy, dated the 24th day of September, A.D. 1926, the undersigned, was appointed Administrator of the Estate of the above named deceased, with the will annexed. All parties having claims against the said Estate are requested to forward particulars of same to me on or before the 15th day of November, A.D. 1926, and all parties indebted to the said Estate are required to pay such indebtedness to me forthwith.

Dated at Victoria, B.C., this 12th day of October, A.D. 1926.

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7.15 p.m.—Scientific football.
7.25 p.m.—Studio programme.
KOIN (319) Portland, Ore.
6-7 p.m.—Dinner concert.
8-10 p.m.—Studio programme.
KOMO (360.5) Seattle, Wash.
6.15-7.15 p.m.—Dinner hour programme.
8-8.15 p.m.—U.S. Farm School.

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U.S. MARINE CORPORAL PUT END TO HIS LIFE

San Francisco, Oct. 25.—Rather than face a court-martial charging him with dereliction of duty, Corporal James Robert Miller, one of a detachment of United States Marines sent here from San Diego to guard the halls, committed suicide yesterday.

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He ended his life, according to a report to his superior officers, when he was arrested for becoming intoxicated and for failing to take a guard the post office there.

"Key Man" in Ohio Murder Case is Put Under Arrest

Canton, Ohio, Oct. 25.—Patrick McDermott, much-sought "key man" in the murder of Don R. Mellett, crusading Canton publisher, last July 16, is in custody to-day.

Mellett, who was publisher of The Canton Daily News, was shot down at the door of his garage in the rear of his home. The slaying was attributed by authorities to leaders of the Canton underworld because of Mellett's active newspaper campaign against vice conditions here.

McDermott was arrested at Nanty-glo, Pa., yesterday upon information provided by relatives who desired "Pat" be returned to Canton to face the music, and clear his name of suspicion if he is innocent. It is believed these relatives will receive a \$5,000 reward offered for the capture.

NEW DISCUSSION ON RACES FACES HOUSE AT COMING SESSION

Amendment to Law by Private Member to Increase Season Considered Certain

Whether amendments to British Columbia's existing horse race laws should be sponsored by the Government or not has not been decided. Premier Oliver stated Saturday after the cabinet had heard representations of Colwood Park race operators Friday in favor of an extension of the Colwood racing season.

It appears certain, however, that changes in the present statute to give the Colwood interests two weeks of racing instead of ten days will be moved in the House by private members, even if the Government decides not to sponsor this legislation.

NOT PARTY MEASURE

The present law was proposed by the Government but is in no sense a party measure as it was based on an agreement reached by the race track interests of the whole Province. They agreed among themselves on a distribution of the season between them and the legislation followed. The purpose of the Legislature was simply to reduce the former long season to smaller proportions and thus cut down the Province's expenditure on wagers.

The race track discussion of the next session thus will be non-partisan in any case. It will be for the House to decide whether the Colwood season should be extended because of the special circumstances which the Colwood interests declare exist in the case of their operations.

SOLARIUM GAINED \$4,079 BY CONTEST

Recent Donations Include the Proceeds of Contest Arranged by Miss Dunsmuir

The movie star-contest organized by Miss Dola Dunsmuir recently, netted \$4,079.10 for the Queen Alexandra Solarium for Crippled Children. The committee in charge of the Solarium funds gratefully acknowledge this and the following donations made recently:

Mrs. J. A. Urquhart, Victoria (per Mrs. M. Campbell) \$1.00; Children of Crofton Sunday School, \$4.15; Mrs. J. Sheppard, Cobble Hill, \$2.00; Chief Petty Officer J. M. Utteridge, Esquimalt, \$25.00; Shirley Women's Institute, \$6.00; A Friend (sale of candy) \$5.00; First Cowichan Girl Guides, \$10.00; R. H. Jameson, Sooke, \$1.25; Miss M. Gibson, Vernon, B.C., \$10.00; Member of the Shawigan Branch of the Mothers' Union, \$1.25; David Lehman, Royal Oak (per Mrs. M. Campbell) \$1.00; Princess Alexandra Lodge No. 18, Daughters and Maids of England Benevolent Society, \$25.00; Mrs. G. R. Macleod, Victoria, \$10.00; Mackenzie Women's Institute, Bella Coola, \$50.00; A Friend, \$25.00; A Friend from Yokohama, \$21.00; Mrs. W. Russell, Victoria (per Mrs. M. Campbell) \$1.00; Mrs. G. W. Sinclair, East Vancouver (per Mrs. M. Campbell) \$1.00; Mrs. L. E. Mironson, Milledale, B.C. (per Mrs. M. Campbell) \$1.00; Mrs. C. G. Walker, Milledale, B.C., \$1.00; Mrs. L. R. Rudolf, New Westminster, \$1.00; G. Nurse, Powell River, B.C., \$1.00; Miss Wynona, Vancouver, \$1.00; Valdez Women's Institute, Valdez Island, \$1.75; R. S. Rose, Victoria, \$2.00; J. H. Willis, Esquimalt (per Mrs. M. Campbell) \$1.00; Dr. A. E. Nash, Victoria (per Mrs. M. Campbell) \$1.00; Miss Mary Wilson and three other children, Victoria, \$1.00; Glenys Jean Smedley, Langford (per Mrs. M. Campbell) \$1.00; Mrs. J. J. Pilgrim, Esquimalt (per Mrs. M. Campbell) \$1.00; Miss A. T. Riddell, Victoria, \$5.00; Delbar Club (boys and girls under twelve), Victoria, \$5.50; Merril & Ring Lumber Co., Vancouver, \$300.00; Anonymous, \$1.00; Mrs. A. A. Strongman, \$25.00; Major and Mrs. Booth, Thetis Island, \$5.00; Victoria Lodge No. 83, Daughters of the Empire (proceeds of dance) \$25.00; Mrs. Mardell, Victoria, \$1.00; Miss A. S. Towell, Victoria, \$5.00; Misses Becky Mortimer, M. Dodd and K. Grogan, Victoria (proceeds of bazaar) \$3.45; Mayne Island W. A., \$5.00; Miss E. J. Foster, Victoria, \$5.00; Colonel Andrew, \$5.00; Mr. H. Atkinson, Victoria, \$10.00; General Sir Percy Lake, Victoria, \$50.00; Mrs. J. W. Church, Victoria, \$100.00; Victoria Women's Institute (tag day), \$1,340.70; Mrs. E. Mayell, Brentwood Bay, \$50.00; Two Daughters (in memory of their mother) \$20.00; Anonymous, Chemainus, \$12.00; Five Boys, W. Davis, D. Pangman, J. Banks, R. McConnan, E. Welham, Victoria, \$18.40; Two Bully Boys, \$20.00; Women's Canadian Club, Victoria, \$100.00; Mr. McGowan, Cobble Hill, \$10.00; Faith and Helen Cornwall, Victoria, \$2.25; Collections from Duncan, B.C., \$274.50; collection at Duncan, Fall Fair (per Mrs. M. Campbell) \$31.08; Collection at New Westminster Fall Fair (per Mrs. M. Campbell) \$25.30; Mrs. Chivers, Victoria, \$10.00; Tod Inlet Sunday School, \$5.51; R. H. Jameson, Milne's Landing, 60c; Miss F. G. Sainsbury, New Westminster, \$50.00; Mrs. E. G. Montgomery, Kimberley, B.C. (per Mrs. G. Hennessy), \$15.15; Anonymous, Cranbrook, B.C., \$50.00; Mrs. S. D. Fraser, Victoria, \$2.50; New Denver Women's Institute (result of drive for funds, and \$25.00 from Institute) \$147.10; Daisy Chain Chapter, I.O.D.E., Victoria, \$10.00; Mrs. C. I. Alexander, Victoria, \$5.00; Mrs. F. G. Gray and Mrs. E. Horwood (proceeds of dance at Colwood) \$40.00; Slovan Valley Women's Institute (proceeds of dance), \$20.00; R. M. Palmer, Cowichan Bay, \$3.50; Victoria Women's Institute (sale of tags at Royal Oak Flower Show and extra

from tag day) \$4.00; St. John P. Conzidine, Duncan, \$25.00; Navy League Juvenile Band (concert at Coliseum) \$154.88; Mrs. Jessie Fenton Keddie, Shawigan Lake, \$1.50; Mission Women's Society, \$34.02; Mara Women's Society, \$5.00; Audrey Hart, Kathleen Watman, Marguerite and Downes, Wilfred, Eleanor and Marian Stuart (proceeds from bazaar) \$3.15; Okanagan Women's Institute, \$17.25; Miss Hazel Wright and Miss Ruth, Pangman, Victoria, \$2.25; Mrs. T. C. Nelson, Victoria, \$15.00; Capt. J. W. Troup, Victoria, \$50.00; Shawigan Lake Athletic Association, \$25.00; Anonymous, \$50.00; Cobble Hill Women's Institute (proceeds from tea and collection at Solarium Opening) \$120.25; Colonel T. H. M. Codville, \$300.00; Popular Screen Star Competition (organized by Miss Dunsmuir and others) \$4,079.10; Mrs. L. H. Solly, Victoria, \$5.00; Mrs. E. A. Taylor, Victoria, \$5.00; B.C. Miners' Association, Michel, B.C., \$50.00; Miss Joy Savage, Victoria, toys; Anonymous, Victoria, book; Mrs. Patch, Victoria, 10 dolls and 5 beds; Mrs. Fire, Duncan, mah jong set; Miss Newion, Crofton, coats and harness and bicycle; Anonymous, toys, peaches and afternoon tea cloth; Mrs. Carson, Victoria, dinner bell; Mrs. Pearce, Victoria, two pairs bed socks; Mrs. Beckton, Victoria, one pair bed socks; F. Napier Dennison, Victoria (loan of rain gauges and sun recorder); Mr. S. R. Newton, large doll's house; Messrs. W. N. O'Neil, grate, tiles, etc. for nurses' sitting-room; Mrs. C. E. Yearwood, Victoria, 5 pots of apple jelly; Mrs. C. F. Armstrong, Victoria, gramophone and records; Mrs. Hale, 1 can of jam; Mrs. McCrea, Victoria, 3 quarts of jam; Mrs. J. R. Hamilton, 9 books; Anonymous, 10 pots of jam; Mrs. Wilson, Victoria, picture; Mrs. R. Henderson, 4 fruits of jam; Mrs. Nicolls, Victoria, nut and

jam; Mrs. Crompton, books and game; Anonymous, \$50.00 for a coat; Mrs. F. M. Reade, \$50.00 for a coat; Girls' Solarium Club of St. Christopher's School (Desire Seale, Audrey Hadow, Molly Little, Marcia Prior, Katherine Lake, and helped by Dickon Lake, proceeds of bazaar) \$50.59 for a coat.

Langford

Langford, Oct. 24.—Mrs. J. L. Brown, the president of the Women's Institute, the secretary and Mrs. L. Savory have attended the meetings of the Island Conference of Women's Institutes held in Victoria. Mrs. J. L. Brown was appointed convener of home economics for the island.

The monthly meeting of the Women's Institute will be held Tuesday afternoon at the institute hall at 2 p.m. After the business has been conducted a report of the recent conference will be given.

All residents of the district are asked to attend the annual meeting of the Esquimalt Rural Nursing Service in Colwood Hall at 8 o'clock on Monday evening. After the year's reports and election of officers, a musical programme will be given and refreshments served.

Mrs. W. H. Blittler, who has been visiting relatives in Nebraska, has returned to her home on the Millstream Road.

Mrs. Latham, of Prior Street, is spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. W. Bradley, Goldstream Road.

Little John Hunter, a pupil of Langford School, had the misfortune to break his arm and is a patient in St. Joseph's Hospital.

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